THE WEATHER

Fair tonight. Wednesday generally fair. Slowly rising temperature. Moderate variable winds. Sun rises 6:43; sets 5:15; moon sets 4:48 a. m.; high tide 3:45 a. m., 9:15 p. m.
Temperature till 1 p. m.—Maximum, 55 at 1 p. m.; minimum, 3 at 4 a. m.; average, 38.4. Temperature at 2 p. m., 55.

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BRANDEIS BITTERLY ATTACKED BY BAILEY

LAWYER'S ENEMIES HEARD

Mellen Admits That He Knows Nothing Against Brandeis; Winslow Follows Bailey on Stand

By International News Service.

Washington, Feb. 15.—Legal chicanery, bad faith and unprofessional conduct were charged against Louis D. Brandeis today before the Senate Judiciary Sub-Committee investigating his qualifications for service on the Supreme Court of the United States.

Hollis R Bailey, Boston lawyer, charged President Wilson's Supreme Court nominee with aiding a "breach of trust" in the so-called Warren will case. Bailey said that among Boston lawyers Brandeis was deemed "untrustworthy."

S. W. Winslow, president of the United Shoe Machinery Company of Boston, charged Brandeis with "unprofessional conduct and conduct unbecoming an honorable man."

MELLEN'S "KNOWLEDGE."

After serving eight years as director and counsel for the company defending its methods, Winslow said that Brandeis used the knowledge thus gained to attack the company by "false and misleading statements."

Charles S. Mellen, former president of the New Haven Railroad, notified the sub-committee that his knowledge of charges against Brandeis was based entirely on "hearsay evidence."

Senator Walsh of Montana presented to the sub-committee an exchange of telegrams between himself and Mellen. Senator Walsh had wired the former New Haven president, asking him about the statement made on the stand last week by C. W. Barron, that "Mr. Brandeis was hired to wreck the New Haven Railroad."

Senator Walsh sought to convince the committee that it would be unnecessary to call Mellen. The committee, however, decided to hold the matter open.

H. B. BAILEY IS HEARD.

Charges that Brandeis was concerned in what amounted to "a breach of trust" were made by Lawyer Bailey, the first witness before the sub-committee today.

"With Mr. Brandeis' aid and counsel," said Bailey, "Samuel D. Warren was placed in a position where, as an individual, his interests were directly antagonistic to those of the

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DANIELS TO PLAY ROLE OF GODFATHER

New York, Feb. 15.—Josephus Daniels, Secretary of the Navy, is to be the godfather of Gertrude Cameron Van Loan, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Van Loan. The mother, formerly Miss Gertrude Cameron, was a motion picture star. Her wedding was celebrated on the battleship New York, then in the Hudson. Operations will be represented at the christening, which will take place in Washington.

CANADIANS SEEK FREE LIST WHEAT

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 15.—Resolutions placing wheat on the free list were introduced in the House of Commons, but debate on the question was adjourned and the resolutions are probably dead for the present session. The aim of the resolution is to secure free entry to the United States of Canadian wheat and wheat products.

Find World-Wide Anarchist Poison Plot

Chicago Band Acted on Orders from Abroad

CITY PHYSICIAN BLORTSON and Police Captain O'Brien examining various poisons found in John Crone's room in Chicago anarchist inquiry. Photograph copyrighted by International Film Service.

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WIFE OF PROF. EASTMAN TO ASK DIVORCE

By International News Service.

Chicago, Feb. 15.—While the police of every city in the country were on the lookout for John Crones, suspected poisoner of the soup served to 236 prominent Catholic churchmen and Chicago business and professional men, 400 Chicago detectives were at work piecing together the evidence contained in a batch of letters found in Crones' room and in the possession of John Allegrini, friend of Crones, which reveal an astounding anarchistic plot.

The scheme to poison the guests at the Archbishop Mundelein banquet last Thursday night was a mere detail in a gigantic campaign of destruction aimed at all churches and especially the Catholic Church and clergy, large corporations and the government of the United States.

The police say some of the leaders of the plotters, of whom Crones and Allegrini are believed to have been prominent figures, made their headquarters in Rome in the shadow of the Vatican.

Captain Hune of the detective bureau admitted that the recent attempt to destroy St. Patrick's Roman Catholic Church in New York was a part of an anarchistic plot.

The Chicago Federal building was among those the police said were marked for destruction here.

A "committee of fifteen" of the anarchistic band was named in one of the letters. The police took the list of names and detectives were sent out today to search for them. Captain Hune said he expected several, if not

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INSURANCE AGENTS TO MEET IN BOSTON

Chicago, Feb. 15.—The National Association of Insurance Agents today selected Boston for the annual convention. The selection was made at the mid-year conference of the officers of the national, State and local insurance agents here.

Professor Charles R. Eastman, formerly of Harvard and acquitted in one of the most sensational murder trials ever staged in the Massachusetts courts, is soon to be sued for divorce, it became known today, when his wife, Mrs. Caroline Eastman of Cambridge, took the first step toward filing a libel in the East Cambridge Divorce Court.

Late this afternoon Mrs. Eastman held her final conference with her counsel, E. E. Clark of State street. It is expected her suit against the former Harvard professor will be filed tomorrow.

Though friends of the couple have known of their separation for some time, news that there would be a divorce trial come as a surprise to the public generally.

The divorce proceedings will add another chapter of publicity to that which has come to the family after Professor Eastman was arrested on a charge of slaying his brother-in-law, Richard H. Grogan, Jr., of Cambridge.

FATHER OF BERYL GROGAN.

Grogan was the father of Beryl Grogan, the girl who came into the public eye at the time of the Rounds-Larner "love duel" in Cambridge, and whose romantic marriage to a Texas man was followed by her sudden

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PROBE ATTEMPT TO BRIBE HEALIS

Providence, Feb. 15.—It has just become known that George W. Healis, chauffeur for the late Dr. C. Franklin Mohr, received during the Mohr trial a letter containing $50 and the admonition to "take courage." He got the letter through his counsel, Adolph Gorman, who promptly turned it over to Attorney-General Rice.

Attorney Gorman thinks it was an attempt to bribe Healis to silence.

Another important development in the case today was the fact that the office of the Attorney-General is making a wide search for two eye witnesses of the murder of Dr. Mohr and the shooting of Miss Emily Gertrude Burger on the night of August 31, last, at Barrington.

The Healis letter was first sent to Attorney Gorman and it was through him that Healis, who turned State's evidence, received the letter.

The letter was printed. It contained $50—two $20 bills and a $10—and told Healis to

On an envelope enclosed inside that

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KILLED BY ENGINE, MAKING SHORT CUT

Attleboro, Feb. 15.—Peter McCue, twenty-eight, was making a short cut along the railroad track in the Dodgeville section of this city while on the way to the Mossberg mills with his father's luncheon basket, when he was struck and instantly killed by a locomotive.

KENTUCKY OBJECT OF ATTACK

Vera Cruz Report of Plan to Destroy Big U. S. Warship in Order to Force Intervention

By International News Service.

Washington, Feb. 15.—Reports of a plot to blow up the battleship Kentucky, now at Vera Cruz, were received by the State Department today from Carranza officials in Mexico.

Those behind the plot are not known. The Carranza advices stated that it was believed the plot was for the purpose of forcing American intervention. The Carranza agency here is understood to have made the reports to the State Department. At the agency's offices this afternoon, it was declared that officials there would not discuss the matter. The Mexican officials would not say whence the information was obtained about the alleged plot.

The State Department ordered a searching inquiry upon getting the reports.

Navy Department officials were given the information at once and orders were flashed from the Arlington, Va., wireless station do the commander of the Kentucky to make a thorough investigation at Vera Cruz and report immediately.

HONOR PRANG IN NAMING OF STREET

Ruggles street between the Fenway and Parker street, Roxbury, is to be named Louis Prang street in honor of the late German-American art educator. The decision was reached today by the street commissioners on a petition which bore the names of President Maclaurin of Technology, President Lafayour of Simmons College, Dean Huntington of Boston University, Professor Marshall L. Perrin of Boston University, Election Commissioner Seiberlich and many others.

OBJECT TO GROCERY COMPANY OFFER

Before Referee Darling today in the United States Bankruptcy Court creditors of the American Grocery Company objected to the terms of an offer of 33 1-3 per cent. prior to adjudication and the offer was raised to 50 per cent. cash. The liabilities are $145,000 and the appraised assets are $109,000. The meeting was adjourned until next Monday.

TILLMAN DEMANDS ARMOR PLATE FACTS

Washington, Feb. 15.—Senator Tillman on the Senate floor today called upon Senator Penrose of Pennsylvania to explain his recent message from the armor plate manufacturers that they will charge the government $200 more a ton for armor plate if Congress passes the Tillman government armor plate plant bill.

MAN GETS A YEAR FOR WHITE SLAVERY

Testifying in the Municipal Court today, Lillian Hayes, nineteen, of the South End, declared that Arthur McKeehi, twenty-one, of Harvard street, has forced her into "white slavery." Judge Duff found McKeehi guilty and sentenced him to a year in the House of Correction. He appealed.

Latest War Bulletins

Zurich, Feb. 15.—Severe fighting is in progress between Austrian and Italian troops on the heights between Durazzo and Tirana in Albania, says the German newspaper Vossische Zeitung. This is the first big battle in which the Italians have taken part in the Balkans. They are under command of General Palazzi. Tirana is eighteen miles east of Durazzo.

Petrograd, Feb. 15.—Several fires are raging in Erzerum, the Turkish city now being attacked from three sides by Russian troops, according to advices received at the War Office today. The city is practically depopulated, more than 35,000 inhabitants fled westward toward Erzingan. Following the capture of one of the forts defending Erzerum from the east, Russian artillery is battering other forts to the north and south.

Berlin, Feb. 15.—Swiss papers report that terrific damage was caused by German shells which fell in the French fortress of Belfort last week, fifty houses being destroyed. The number of dead and injured is not known. All residents able to do so fled to Lausanne.

Vienna, Feb. 15.—A squadron of enemy aviators dropped six bombs upon Czernowitz, capital of Bukowina, on Sunday. The hostile squadron was composed of French and Russian aviators.

London, Feb. 15.—An Athens dispatch states that 200,000 German soldiers have been concentrated on the Gievgeli-Doiran-Strumnitza front for the campaign against Salonica.

Stalled Auto Starts Story of Munitions Plot

South Boston was stirred today by a story, repeated with an elaborate detail, of an attempt by armed autoists, who finally were driven off by armed police guards, to blow up the factory of the S. A. Woods Machine Company on Damrell street, where shells and other war munitions for the allies are being manufactured.

The Woods shop has been guarded night and day by police guards of a half-dozen to each shift.

Shortly after midnight, according to this report, an automobile was driven to the rear of the factory on Old Colony avenue. Men jumped from the auto and started toward the factory. The police guards advanced with drawn revolvers. The strangers drew revolvers and stood off the police until a retreat was effected on foot. The auto was left in the police hands.

What actually happened was as follows: An automobile containing three or four men became stalled on Old Colony avenue, back of the factory. The occupants left it there until morning, continuing their way on foot.

EARTHQUAKE IN THE SWABIAN ALPS

By International News Service.

Stuttgart, Feb. 15.—A severe earthquake occurred in the Swabian Alps region Sunday. Five villages were severely damaged, but no loss of life has been reported.

TODAY'S BANK CLEARINGS.

Boston sub-treasury credit, $117,135.

Boston clearings, $38,715,-458.

New York sub-treasury credit, $547,035.

New York clearings, $522,-458,938.

The New York sub-treasury gained $2,557,000 from banks on Monday, making a cash net gain of $3,548,000 since Friday last.

Ambassador Marye Ill, to Resign Post

By International News Service.

Washington, Feb. 15.—United States Ambassador George T. Marye, at Petrograd, Russia, has broken down under the war strain. He has decided that he must retire from the diplomatic service. Confidential advices received here today say that the ambassador either already has resigned or will do so in the immediate future.

Ambassador Marye's confidential secretary, Ray Baker, reached the United States yesterday and rushed to Washington today. He declined positively to discuss the report that he had been commissioned by the ambassador to present his resignation to President Wilson.

Ambassador Marye was born in Maryland, but has lived for many years in California.

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NEW CLEW AGAINST STUDENT

Chicago Prosecutor Will Ask Indictment for Murder in Case of Bay State Youth

Chicago, Feb. 15.—State's Attorney Ralph Dady, in an interview today, gave a full statement of the State's case against William E. Orpet, the twenty-year-old University of Wisconsin junior and former student of Lancaster, Mass., charged with the murder of Marian Frances Lambert. Mr. Dady called it a "complete case."

Dady today called before him David Janus, the deaf mute who wrote a statement that he saw a young man force a bottle to the lips of Miss Lambert. James is the only witness so far as is known who saw the couple in the woods.

"My case is complete," said Mr. Dady. "There is nothing for me to do but wait for the coroner to act."

"What is your theory?"

"There is evidence that warrants prosecution for murder. It is possible that the girl took the poison under belief that it was medicine that would help her but the suicide pact theory looks the best."

"An indictment for murder in the first degree against Orpet will be asked at the March Grand Jury and when a true bill is returned, the

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EASIEST WAY TO FIND DOMESTICS

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HUNT NEW WITNESSES TO MOHR TRAGEDY

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hearing the address, the following words were printed:

THIS IS FOR YOUR CLIENT GEORGE HEALIS.
READ!! DESTROY!!
IMPORTANT!
WILL WRITE TO HIS BROTHER

Attorney Sheehan said today:

"I took little better than the bill to Healis out at the State Prison. I asked him what friend could have sent him that money. He replied that he did not know any friend that could spare $50.

"Healis said: 'If it was a friend of mine he would have signed his name.'

"Satisfied that it was a bribe, I took the letter and the money to Attorney General Allen. The Attorney-General later returned the letter and money to me."

Regarding the two eyewitnesses of the shooting of Dr. Mohr, it is reported here that they are a man and girl who were in Barrington on the night of August 4. This is the story told of what they saw:

About 8:30 o'clock that evening they started for a walk along the Lakeville road and down Washington road. While strolling along the edge of the woods they claimed that they saw two men push a motorcycle into the woods, and in a few minutes these men started out on the run, heading toward Washington road.

"In the course of the walk the man and the young lady came out upon Washington road. They reached the roadway just as the automobile bearing Dr. Mohr and Miss Burgess came to a sudden stop. Not waiting to be seen, it is said, they stepped back into the bushes and saw a man jump out of the car.

A few minutes later they witnessed the shooting of Dr. Mohr and his secretary, and saw the two men run across the road and cut into the woods. It is said that the two men ran within five feet of the terrified couple and as they passed one called out to the other, using his name.

"This was ——, the fence is down over here."

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Dr. Mohr Given to Letter Writing

By FLORENCE ORMSBY.
Dr. Mohr's Secretary.

Providence, Feb. 15.—I often heard Dr. Mohr mention the name "Evelyn von Jessen." That is not the only name he mentioned. Dr. Mohr had reasons for doing many things that might on the face of it appear unusual, but in reality he had his own reasons, and they undoubtedly answered his purpose.

Evelyn von Jessen is married and living happily right here among us.

There is no question that he wrote the letters published exclusively in the Sunday AMERICAN. He often talked about the very letters.

It is unusual, it would seem, that the doctor were in touch from whence they came. That, in itself, is proof that they were written for a purpose.

There are many other letters from women in the same hands. They might possibly make them public from time to time, but it is certain that Dr. Mohr knew they came in possession of them.

Personally, I have not acquired the letter writing habit and, to make the best of it, it is indiscreet.

Dr. Mohr could be truly termed indiscreet. One of his flagrant indiscretions was that he always acknowledge, was letter writing. Another was his regiment of his son Charlie, whom he talked with as though he were a grown person. His frowns of hotels and theatre will recall how he would take the boy to supper and theatre and treat him like a grown person.

Dr. Mohr often mentioned the name of women to whom he wrote letters. There was absolutely nothing out of the ordinary about the two letters in question. True, he wrote them, but just as absolutely true that they were written for a purpose.

I am not to make any effort to defend the doctor for that sort of endeavor, but he always explained, satisfactorily, why he wrote them.

I happened to be in an attorney's office on the day Dr. Mohr was explaining the particular letters in question. He and another stood at the time that an explanation could be made of the proper time. All understood that. Now conditions are different. Dr. Mohr is not here now to make any explanation.

WITHOUT FOUNDATION.

Attorneys for Mrs. Mohr at the trial mentioned Evelyn Von Jessen Hiring in Lakewood having received a letter from Dr. Mohr. It was said the doctor wrote this woman, who in turn told her husband and later the doctor received another letter from the woman, begging Dr. Mohr not to mention her name in any suit before the court.

Riddlesticks! Everyone knows there is absolutely no foundation for such statement. To begin with, the whole Lakewood story is a myth. It had the desired effect, however, to worry women of that section who had been patients of the doctor. As for any real foundation for any flurry there was none. Dr. Mohr never received a letter from a Lakewood woman, neither did he ever write one during my employment. It is safe to say that every letter he did write he handed to me to read.

I prefer to keep quiet and await developments. I am tired of the whole Mohr case and would gladly refrain from talking about it but for the unfair insinuations against others.

There is no knowing who will be dragged in next. I am besieged with telephone calls from women who fear for their life. They believe any day their name will be dragged into the Mohr affair. To all these women I say, when their name is brought in unjustly I will rally to their side.

Why are you so suspicious. You had better look out for yourself, someone, evidently a masculine voice, asked me over the telephone.

Vindictive? For telling the truth. Vindictive? For not allowing others to be dragged into this affair without a protest.

What had that man to fear that he bothered me and would not tell who he was. I had no more many threats that it does not bother me in the least. If I am to be threatened for my part in this affair then I will continue to stick to the truth, as the truth might benefit by what knowledge I possess.

Enough damage has been done already. Why drag in the names of others when it will only bring sorrow to them and do no particular good to anyone. Dr. Mohr so explained the situation to me and I believe Dr. Mohr.

Seek Return of Mohr Property

Providence, Feb. 15.—Counsel for Mrs. Elizabeth P. Mohr have taken steps to reach a final settlement of the estate of the murdered physician, Dr. C. Franklin Mohr.

Arthur Cushing and George Hurley, co-administrators of the estate, made a formal demand upon Attorney-General Herbert A. Rice for the property of the physician which the State used as exhibits in the recent trial. It is believed to include a touring car, two solid gold watches set in diamonds, several rings also set in diamonds, a pair of cuff links of great value, a gold stickpin and cash. Whether Attorney-General Rice grants the demand will depend entirely upon whether he intends to press the indictment still pending against Mrs. Mohr, charging her with being an accessory to an assault with a dangerous weapon upon Miss Emily G. Burgess, the "other woman" in the case, who was also shot and seriously wounded when the physician's automobile was ambushed.

If Mr. Rice intends to prosecute the case he will of course retain all the exhibits, as the evidence and the witnesses in the second case would be the same as in the murder trial.

Before a final settlement of the estate is possible, the attorneys will also have to secure a dismissal of the injunction against the property of Dr. Mohr, both in this city and at Newport. The Newport estate stood in Mrs. Mohr's name until a few years ago when Dr. Mohr compelled her to deed it over to him.

CREW FIGHTS FIRE ON NORTH DAKOTA

Philadelphia, Feb. 15.—It was learned today that quick work by the sailors on the battleship North Dakota, at the Philadelphia Navy Yard, saved the ship from serious damage by fire last night. The fire was started by a blow-out of a fuse in the dynamo of the engine room, but at the sound of the alarm the sailors jumped from their bunks and extinguished the blaze before it could get beyond control.

FIRE ON STRIKERS AT MUNITION PLANT

New York, Feb. 15.—Further rioting occurred today at the munition manufacturing plant of the E. W. Bliss Company, in South Brooklyn, where a strike is in progress. Two workmen may die. The mob of strikers and their sympathizers became so turbulent that the police fired upon the rioters. A number of policemen were injured.

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Men's Rubber Boots, 6 inch, sizes 6 to 10, at $2.29

Boys' Rubbers, plain styles, sizes 2½ to 6, at 39c

Youths' and Misses' Rubbers, sizes 11 to 2, at 49c

Women's Storm Jerseys, sizes 2½ to 8, at 39c

Alaska Rubbers (like picture), sizes 2½ to 8, at 89c

Children's Rubbers, sizes 6 to 10½, at 35c

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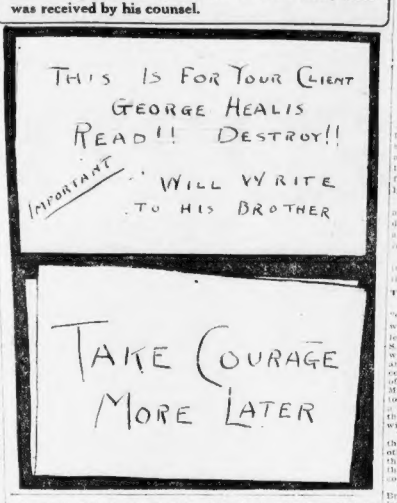
Have not received your letter; am ill; absolute safety by addressing just Lock Box 15, Lewiston, Me., no name, write or send ticket. "Love Wife."

FACSIMILE of mysterious envelope and message for George W. Healis, the Mohr case informer, which was received by his counsel.



SENATORS HEAR ENEMIES OF BRANDEIS

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position as trustee which he had assumed. Also Mr. Brandeis acted as attorney for Samuel D. Warren as a trustee and at the same time acted for Mr. Warren personally and finally defended Mr. Warren.

"Mr. Brandeis and his firm for years acted for Mr. Warren as trustee, under an annual retainer of $2,000, and also acted for Mr. Warren personally on a fee of $2,000 a year.

Mr. Bailey related in detail the intricate legal troubles that surrounded the Warren will case.

TELLS OF WARREN ESTATE.

"Samuel W. Warren," said Bailey, "died leaving a paper mill business worth $2,000,000. The business was left to his widow and five children, S. D. Warren, Jr., Brandeis' partner, was the only one of the children with any experience in the business. To conduct the business so for benefit of the heirs, all of the children and Mrs. Warren turned their shares over to three trustees, S. D. Warren, Jr., Mr. Mason, who was connected with the business, and Mrs. Warren, the widow.

"They were supposed to conduct the business for the benefit of the other heirs," continued Bailey. "With the advice and counsel of Mr. Brandeis the trustees took the following course.

"The entire plant was leased to Mr. Brandeis as a 'dummy.' He then leased it back to S. D. Warren, Mr. Mason and another Warren brother under the terms of the lease the lessees were to pay 6 per cent, and one-half the profits for the use of the plant. Other heirs, including my client, Edward Warren, knew nothing of the fact that these trustees practically had leased the business to themselves.

SECRETARY OVER $2,000,000."

"Through this lease, S. D. Warren was compensated at the rate of $75,000 or $100,000 a year, and Fiske Warren received $30,000 or $40,000 for acting very little. S. D. Warren, Mr. Mason and Fiske Warren had received something over $1,000,000 for carrying on this business for less than twenty years. That was twice as much as the trustee should have paid for the conduct of the business."

Brandeis and his firm, the witness said, acted throughout as counsel for all concerned, and was retained by both the "grantees" and the "lessees" of the business.

Senator Walsh sought to show that Mr. Warren were satisfied with the arrangement.

Bailey insisted that his client, Edward Warren, however, had no way of knowing of what was being done by S. D. Warren, Jr., and the advice of Brandeis.

"You contend," said Senator Clark, "that Mr. Brandeis, as representing all of the persons, should have made to each of them a clear exposition of all of these matters, and that he failed to do so?"

"Yes."

BRANDEIS' REPUTATION.

Senator Clark sought to secure from the witness a statement of the "general reputation" of Brandeis among lawyers and bankers. Senator Walsh objected and the committee wrangled for some time over whether the question was a proper one. Finally the witness was allowed to answer.

"The opinion of the bar of Boston," said the witness, "is, I believe, that Mr. Brandeis is an able lawyer, a man of keen intellect, an able advocate, but that he is not entirely trustworthy. I think that covers it."

The crowded hearing room gasped at this bald characterization of the man selected by President for the highest court in the land.

"What are your politics?" asked Senator Clark as a murmur swept the room.

"I am a Wilson Democrat," replied the witness.

ATTACK BY WINSLOW.

S. W. Winslow, president of the United Shoe Machinery Company, the next witness, in a lengthy prepared statement attacked Brandeis. He flatly charged that after participating in the organization of company and endorsing his acts he (Brandeis) used the information obtained thereby attacking the company in the courts. His actions were characterized by Winslow as "unprofessional and dishonorable."

FIREMEN CALLED AT ROAST BASTING

Mrs. Katherine Davis opened the oven door in her second floor flat at No. 8 Baldwin street, Dorchester, this noon to baste a roast of lamb. Smoke rolled out. The police say that Mrs. Davis opened a window and screamed "Fire!" A pedestrian patrolled to the corner of Blue Hill avenue and pulled in a fire alarm. There was nothing for the firemen to do when they arrived after a hard trip through the snow.

JEALOUS MAINE MAN SLASHES HIS WIFE

Bangor, Me., Feb. 15.—Jealous of his wife, whom he feared was developing an attachment for an employe of a logging camp, Howard B. Lindsey, a one-legged State pauper, slashed her neck and hands with a razor, and then fled to Carroll, where he was arrested. The woman will live, it is said.

Mellen Says He Knows Nothing About Brandeis

Washington, Feb. 15. SENATOR WALSH, chairman of the subcommittee investigating the fitness of Louis D. Brandeis to be a justice of the United State Supreme Court, today read the following telegram from Charles S. Mellen, former president of the New Haven Railroad:

I have no information of any character that could be of any value to the subcommittee on the Brandeis nomination. I have no papers that have any bearing on the case. Under these circumstances, may I not be excused from attending?

LETTERS FURNISH NEW CLEWS IN HUNT FOR ANARCHISTS

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all, of the "committee" to be arrested soon.

Anti-religious in inception, this society of chaos held also an inborn hate of government and of wealth. The Chicago campaign of the fifteen local members included razing of the People's Gas Light and Coke building, the Union League Club, the Federal Building and the Holy Name Cathedral, in addition to the attempt on the lives of the guests at Archbishop Mundelein's banquet and other attempts on the lives of forty Chicago bankers.

These startling things became known to Captain Nicholas Hunt of the Detective Bureau, to Assistant Chief of Police Herman Schuettler, and to the members of the Italian squad of the Detective Bureau through the translation of a number of letters found in possession of John Allegrini of No. 2468 Calumet avenue, booked on charges of conspiracy to murder and attempted murder, as one of fifteen members of the Chicago chapter.

OFFER MILLION BAIL.

So serious did Captain Hunt consider the situation that he gave the following statement to the International News Service:

"The attempt at the University Club is relatively trivial, though I do not mean that. It might have consequences of the gravest nature. I mean that it is merely an incidental evidence of what is unquestionably one of the widest, most comprehensive and dangerous conspiracy that has been unearthed in Chicago in years.

"The lawyers representing Allegrini are prepared to put up $1,000,000 to bail him out, if necessary.

"Where does the money come from?

"Allegrini is merely a stone-cutter, and is not known to the old circles of Anarchists as moving strong friends. I have it on good authority that he has behind him a fund of more than $20,000 cash placed in a safe to be used as bail at any time of the day or night.

"This fact speaks for itself as regards the power of the clique. The organization is not purely anarchistic, I. W. W., or anti-clerical—it is a combination of all three. I am not yet prepared to say how deep it may go, but I believe Crones is not far away. We may have him soon."

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$4.50	2 x 3 yds.	3.25	$7.50	2 x 3½ yds.	5.25
$6.00	2 x 3 yds.	3.95	$8.50	2 x 3½ yds.	5.95
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Odd Napkins

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$1.25	16½-in.	98c	$3.50	22-in.	2.75
$1.50	18-in.	1.19	$4.00	22-in.	3.00
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$2.75	20-in.	2.25	$7.50	24-in.	5.95

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Huck or bath towels, mostly first quality, but a few with slight mill imperfections.

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The Plant Juice Man is at the biggest Drug Co.'s store, corner of Washington and Avon Streets, where his daily meetings draw local public and introducing and explaining the merits of this remedy.—Advertisement.

Rules for Fighting "Grip and Pneumonia"

"If people would learn to breathe deeply and breathe through the nose instead of the mouth, cases of Grippe, Pneumonia, Diphtheria, Catarrh and other throat and lung affections would be few and far between this winter," remarked a well-known medical writer recently.

"The air is filled with infectious germs of disease. Mouth breathers inhale these germs and their throats become a veritable incubator in which bacteria breeds and multiplies. Simple coughs and colds grow worse and develop often into more serious diseases. To avoid contracting coughs and colds which may lead to something worse, breathe deeply today to breathe deeply. Keeping the mouth tightly closed, sleep with windows open, walk in the fresh air as much as possible, draw it deeply into your lungs and keep your mouth moist and antiseptic by dissolving in it after meals and three times daily a little Vaseline in tablespoonful. This Vaseline is now made from a physician's prescription and will knock out this severest cough or cold inside of twenty-four hours. A few tablets taken in time will almost certainly prevent the cold becoming Grippe, pneumonia or something worse. Most of the best druggists have these Cresolene tablets on sale and give the positive guarantee that they will break up a cold and stop a cough or money back. Be sure to insist on Cresolene tablets and refuse substitutes every time. They are easy and convenient to take, contain no habit forming drugs and act like ordinary cough drops and cough remedies, are good for curing your cold or no pay.—Advertisement.

FEW FOLKS HAVE GRAY HAIR NOW

Druggist Says Ladies Are Using Recipe of Sage Tea and Sulphur.

Hair that loses its color and lustre, or when it fades and turns gray, dull and lifeless, is caused by a lack of sulphur in the hair. Our grandmothers made up a mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur to keep her locks dark and beautiful, and thousands of women and men know the value that even color, that beautiful dark shade of hair which is so attractive, use only this old-time recipe.

Nowadays we get this famous mixture by asking at any drug store for a 50 cent bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," which darkens the hair so naturally, so evenly, that no one can possibly tell it has been applied. Besides, it takes off dandruff, stops scalp itching and falling hair. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears and, what delights the ladies with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur is that, besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also brings back the glossy and lustre and gives it an appearance of abundance.—Advertisement.

ZERO BRIDE IN LOVE SUIT

By International News Service.

New York, Feb. 15.—John Ellis Roosevelt, first cousin of Theodore Roosevelt, wept in the Supreme Court at Brooklyn, while testifying regarding the coldness of his bride of two years—a bride who, he said, was such in name alone.

In broken, halting tones he related between sobs, the failure of mating December and May. He is now sixty-two and his wife, as near as he could learn, is about half that age.

As calm and unmoved as the silent sphinx, they visited on a honeymoon trip to the Nile—Mrs. Roosevelt sat through the day. To her husband's tearful story of wrecked hopes, the differences of opinions, the "zero bride" returned a quiet but emphatic denial that she was less than she should have been.

The plaintiff, who is seeking an annulment of his marriage, met the charming Mrs. Edith Hamersley shortly after the death of his first wife in 1912. He had been happily married for thirty-two years, he said, and had three children.

DISCUSSED TWIN BEDS.

The present Mrs. Roosevelt had then but recently become a widow. The marriage of the plaintiff and Mrs. Hamersley took place in Washington January 6, 1914, at the home of the plaintiff's brother, Robert E. Roosevelt, who had but shortly married the defendant's sister.

After a few days' stay in New York, following the wedding, they sailed for a honeymoon to Egypt, Italy and Switzerland.

"Our difficulties began while on the steamer," said Mrs. Roosevelt in her defence to the charges of her husband. "He made life unbearable by his excessive demands."

"Did you occupy the same stateroom?" her counsel asked.

"Yes, always," was her reply. She spoke in tones so subdued that Justice Crane, before whom the suit is being heard, leaned forward and asked the witness to repeat her answers several times.

Wasn't there a great deal of discussion between you and Mr. Roosevelt as to occupying twin beds?

"Quite a great deal, yes. I imagine that is half of his complaint," the witness responded.

ADVISED BY DOCTOR.

In reply to questioning of counsel, the defendant told, bit by bit, the story of her marital differences with Mr. Roosevelt. After their months abroad they returned and went to Meadowcroft, the Roosevelt country place at Sayville, Long Island. There, she said, "he made life unbearable by violent temper and excessive demands."

In September they went to the Ritz. After further differences, each consulted attorneys and she went to Atlantic City and Washington. Returning six weeks later, they lived together again at No. 818 Madison avenue, Mr. Roosevelt's town house. Save for a month's trip to Florida, they remained at the Madison avenue address until June. The Summer was spent at Sayville.

Last October, on advice of her physician, Mrs. Roosevelt said she left her husband, and has not since lived with him.

The witness denied that she ever discussed with her husband the subject of medical treatment. She characterized as a "hideous claim" the statement that she was wife in name alone.

TOLD OF FIRST MARRIAGE.

In contrast to the unemotional recital of the defendant, Mr. Roosevelt, a ruddy, vigorous man, was undisguisedly affected by the testimony he gave. The recollection of his first marriage brought tears to his eyes. "For thirty-two years he was never separated from his wife a day, he said. The memory of his happiness seemed to overpower him. It was several moments before he resumed his testimony.

After relating his meeting of the present Mrs. Roosevelt, he said: "I asked her if she cared for me and she said she did. I asked if she cared for me enough to marry me, and she said she would think it over. 'We hit it quite well together,' was the way she expressed it. I thought she would make me a good wife.

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Latest Photographs in the Lambert Tragedy, Chicago's Richeson Case

Marion Lambert, the victim.

WHERE BODY WAS FOUND
FOOTSTEPS SHOW MISS LAMBERT ACCOMPANIED BY MAN, CAME FROM THIS DIRECTION
MAN RETRACED HIS STEPS TO HERE
ODES FROM HERE IN THIS DIRECTION

Photo diagram of the death scene.

Celestia Youker, the "Other Girl."

William H. Orpet, the accused student.

SEEK MURDER INDICTMENT AGAINST BAY STATE STUDENT

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case will be brought to an early trial."

DARK FOR STUDENT.

Not one bit of evidence has been discovered thus far to shield the young University of Wisconsin junior from the charge of murdering the Lake Forest High School girl, while evidence is constantly accumulating to fasten upon him the crime so similar to the Richeson case, when Avis Linnell, the Hyannis choir singer, was cruelly sent to her death by poison that the clergyman-fiance might be free to marry a wealthier girl.

Today's developments were ominous for Orpet, who so glibly told a story of romance and plighted troth schoolgirl he had betrayed, and of seeing her swallow poison and die at his feet.

Orpet thus established his presence at the death of the girl, and also gave as the motive for the suicide the fact that the young girl was "in trouble" on account of their intimate relationship.

To support this suicide theory advanced by Orpet it was necessary to find the nature of the poison, trace its source and the container, and to find that if Miss Lambert believed herself to be in such a condition that disgrace would follow unless she was married or killed herself.

Today the following facts tending to clear up the essential details in the solution of the crime were established:

KILLED BY CYANIDE.

The poison that killed Miss Lambert was cyanide of potassium, probably in a saturated solution with sulphuric acid.

A poison cache, containing both cyanide of potassium and sulphuric acid in large quantities was discovered in the basement of the greenhouse on the Cyrus H. McCormick estate, where E. G. Orpet, father of the murder suspect, is superintendent and caretaker. Young Orpet was in Lake Forest, Tuesday night and had access to the poisons and they were hidden Sunday, probably by order of Orpet's father.

Miss Lambert could not have access to similar poisons contained in her father's home. Frank Lambert today asserted firmly that all deadly poisons handled by him as gardener of the Jonas Kuppenheimer estate were kept under lock and key, and that the key, of which there is no duplicate, had never left his possession.

Orpet, on the day he left Madison, Wis., for his clandestine meeting with Miss Lambert, purchased a two-ounce phial from Charles W. Hassinger, a clerk in the Tiedeman Pharmacy at 702 University avenue. Hassinger had helped Orpet out before by providing him proof through William Zick, a chum and roommate at the university, when Orpet first was informed that Miss Lambert was "in trouble." Orpet could either have filled the phial from the university laboratory, as he was a student of chemistry, or from the store of poisons in the basement of the greenhouse on the McCormick estate.

FEARS GROUNDLESS.

Miss Lambert had known for two weeks or more before her last meeting with Orpet that she was not "in trouble" as the result of their intimate relationship, and that her fears were groundless. Her love for Orpet, however, was still strong and she adopted the ruse of allowing him to believe that she had a claim on him in the hope that he would give up his new love and marry her.

Miss Lambert had no reason to commit suicide for fear of disgrace and she well knew this fact.

State's Attorney Dady after his declaration that the State was ready to proceed, was interviewed by the International News Service as follows:

"Do you know where the poison came from?"

"We know where young Orpet had access to it."

"Was he about his father's home last Tuesday night?"

"Yes."

"Did anyone else know he was there?"

"Yes."

"Do you think his father knew he was there?"

"I could not say, but I think a lot of things."

"What do you think about poison being found covered up in the ashes in the basement of the greenhouse in the Cyrus S. McCormack estate, where the Orpets make their home?"

"That was done for some purpose. You can tell that as well as I can."

ACCUSED POISON.

"Have you asked the father about that?"

"Not yet."

"Do you think the discovery of the poison at Orpet's home shows Will Orpet to be guilty?"

"Well it shows that he had access to the poison there."

"How would his guilt be associated with finding the poison there?"

"It might show that he went there to get the poison to give the Lambert girl."

MAY HAVE USED FORCE.

"Do you think he could have forced the poison upon her?"

"I don't know. He might have forced the poison upon her or might have given it to her as medicine to help her."

"Then you believe he gave her the poison as medicine?"

"It might have been as medicine, and then it might all have been part of a suicide pact in which he was supposed to take some of the poison, too."

"Do you expect to make any more arrests in the case?"

"No, I think that the case is complete."

Young Orpet was told in his cell in the Waukegan jail of Hassinger's declaration about the sale of the bottle and of the finding of buried cyanide on his father's place.

The jig is up, the missing bottle that contained the poison has been found."

This was the startling statement flung at the young collegian as he stood grasping the bars while a half-smoked cigarette hung from his mouth.

"What do you mean?" he asked. His gray eyes showed a flash of unmistakable terror.

"You know Harry Hassinger in Madison?"

"Yes," he said, breathlessly.

"He has said he sold you a two-ounce bottle last Tuesday."

"I was not in Madison Tuesday," he answered in a voice that broke with excitement.

ADMITS MEETING GIRL.

"You left Madison at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon for Lake Forest, where you met Marian Lambert the next morning."

"Yes."

"Hassinger says he sold you the bottle at noon."

"What did he say it contained?"

"He said it was empty."

"Empty."

Orpet shrugged his shoulders and a cynical smile twisted his lips. His poise returned. He was himself again.

"No," he returned slowly, "Hassinger did not sell me an empty bottle or any kind of a bottle Tuesday."

"Do you deny he ever sold you a bottle?"

"No. He sold me a bottle six or eight inches long three weeks ago. It was filled with face lotion. It may be in my room in Edward Taylor's boarding house in Madison yet for all I know."

"Is that the only bottle you ever purchased of Hassinger?"

"Yes."

"Hassinger says he sold you a drug last August, and again about Thanksgiving time."

"You can't convict of murder on that sort of evidence."

"Possibly not. But did you purchase the drug?"

"I won't say."

Carl Nordable, a clerk in the Teldman pharmacy, where Hassinger works, says he heard you ask for the bottle last Tuesday and saw you walk out with it in your pocket."

"That is not true. I bought no bottle Tuesday."

"State's Attorney Dady found cyanide of potassium hidden in an ash heap in your father's premises."

Again the student's veiled eyes opened wide. "I did not hide it," said he.

"Your father ordered a gardener to bury it. You are supposed to have filled your bottle from this can of poison."

"No," he said ,taking a deep draft of smoke into his lungs and shaking his head, "I did not. I have had no poison—no need of any."

What Principals in Lambert Tragedy Say

WILLIAM H. ORPET, the accused: "I had no reason to wish for the death of Marion, and I am absolutely innocent of any part in her death."

FRANK LAMBERT, father of the dead girl: "We believe Orpet guilty of causing our girl's death, whether he actually poured the poison down her throat or not, and we ask that he suffer the penalty of the law."

E. G. ORPET, father of the suspect: "I am sure my boy cannot be to blame.

STATE'S ATTORNEY DADY: "The State is ready to begin its prosecution of Orpet for the murder of Miss Lambert."

M'CALL AGAINST GEORGE BILL AMENDMENT

Governor McCall announced today that he was seriously opposed to the pending amendment to the George bill to require a candidate for President to sign the nomination papers of his delegates.

"Such pin-sticking amendments as these," the Governor said, "tend to prevent the people from voting for whom they desire."

"Is it fair to assume that you will veto the George bill if this amendment is added?" the Governor was asked.

"A vete," he said, "sounds like a threat. However, I have a right to express my views as a citizen."

"This amendment," he concluded, "would prevent the people from voting for a candidate who was out of the country and who, therefore, could not sign his papers."

The Governor was told that the amendment was recommended by Joseph Walker.

"Is that so?" said the Governor. "Why, it seems to me that Joe was abroad and one of his agents signed his papers for Governor the time he ran."

As reported out of the Committee on Election Laws, the George bill would allow the "authorized agent" of a candidate to sign the presidential nomination papers before the delegates could go on the ballot. The amendment proposes to make the candidate himself sign the papers.

The amendment originated with the friends of Senator John W. Weeks and was introduced with the purpose of "smoking out" Governor McCall.

The Governor's statement today indicated that he did not intend to allow the Weeks managers to dictate legislation.

It is recalled that Colonel Roosevelt is now out of the country and the amendment would exclude Messrs. Hird, Cushing, Gardner and Washburn from the right to have the words "Roosevelt delegates" printed on the ballot opposite their names unless the colonel signed the papers.

FOIL BURGLARY AND ARREST GANG

New York, Feb. 15.—After trailing four burglars and giving them twenty minutes for inside operations detectives early today frustrated an attempt to loot the safe in the office of the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research. There was $15,000 in the safe and the burglars were within five minutes of getting it when the detectives broke in upon them. Three of the men were caught and a suspect was arrested later.

HOPE ABANDONED FOR 22 MINERS

Butte, Mont., Feb. 15.—Practically no hope was entertained today for the twenty-two miners who were trapped by fire at midnight in the Pennsylvania mine of the Anaconda Copper Mining Company near here. Three men were removed from the mine unconscious.

SCHOONER WRECKED OFF THE LIZARD

Plymouth, Eng., Feb. 15. — The schooner Goldie Bell, from St. John's, Newfoundland, has been wrecked on the Lizard. The crew was saved.

Plymouth, Feb. 15. — Owners and operatives of the Plymouth Cordage Company met at Arena Hall, this afternoon to celebrate the strike of the 2,000 employes. According to the strikers' representatives the men are willing to accept a 5 per cent. increase in wages if the company will recognize the American Federation of Labor.

Frank McCarthy, labor organizer of Boston, attended the session.

Threats were made against the 800 men who returned to work at the Cordage Company's plant this morning.

The police are investigating messages sent to the wives of certain strikebreakers that the families of the men who returned to work would be killed and the houses burned.

The return of one-quarter of the men was taken as a victory for the company today. All strikers who have returned to work have done so on the five per cent. increase basis.

CITIZENS' CAUCUS HELD IN MILTON

The Citizens' caucus held at Milton was the largest in the history of the town. The results were: For Selectmen, Horace A. Duffy, (renominated), George R. Eaton and James F. Mitchell; for auditor, Frederick N. Krim and J. Herbert Raymond; for town clerk, J. Frank Kemp; for treasurer, J. Porter Holmes; for the School Committee, H. Boyd Edward and Horace Kennedy; for commissioner, Bernard W. Trafford; for collector of taxes, James Babcock; for the Board of Health, A. W. Draper; for sewer commissioner, Edward C. Bill; for water commissioner, Theodore P. Whitney, and for moderator, Robert P. Herrick.

COURT MARTIAL STOPPED BY COURT

The court martial of Lieutenant Commander Charles A. McDonald of the Naval Bridage, charged with failure to send notices for the election of a junior lieutenant, has been halted by an order of Judge Loring of the Supreme Court, who today issued a restraining order against the naval court proceeding with the hearing. A hearing on the merits of the case will be heard in the Supreme Court March 7.

SENATOR MARTIN OUT FOR GOVERNOR

Concord, N. H. Feb. 15.—Friends of State Senator Nathaniel E. Martin of this city caused surprise this afternoon by announcing Mr. Martin as a Democratic candidate for Governor. A formal declaration from Senator Martin is understood to be forthcoming.

Woman Dies from Burns.

Manchester, N. H., Feb. 15.—Burns received while pouring oil into a heated stove caused the death of Mrs. Odile Kandar.

To Prevent the Grip.

Cobbs cause Grip. Laxative Bromo Quinine removes the cause. There is only one "BROMO QUININE." E.W.Grove's signature on box. 25c.—Adv.

AMELIA E. BARR CALLS LAMBERT GIRL VICTIM OF MODERN FREEDOM

By International News Service.

New York, Feb. 15.—"The intoxicating freedom enjoyed by girls of the twentieth century is one of the chief causes which makes possible a tragedy like that of Marian Lambert."

This is the belief of Amelia E. Barr, dean of American women writers. She does not altogether condemn the "modern freedom," but she points out its multitudinous dangers today and harked a warning to girls who insist on "romping at the end of a long rope."

"Each girl of our generation carries at her girdle the magic key that lets her forth into the open streets," Mrs. Barr declared. "In an ecstacy of delight she waltzes out into a world of many pitfalls; this at an age when her grandmother was at home still plaiting her hair into long pigtails."

"The ordinary girl goes out and takes life pretty much as she finds it. So far as her honor is concerned, there are just two paths over which she can walk; she can either triumph over the temptations of love, or she can fall a victim to these temptations. Under the present system of society if the young girl escapes the awful thing she is fortunate—nothing more. That the thing done happen it is what was to have been expected, everything considered. Not a pleasant prospect in which to be living do you think? But the way to dispel such an atmosphere is to analyze it as it is.

"Look at the freedom Marian Lambert enjoyed. She was eighteen years old at the time of her death. For two years before she had been accustomed to go where she pleased with her sweetheart, go when she pleased, do what she pleased.

"She was no exception. Hundreds of thousands of other high school girls in this country can do just the same thing. Then after something unexpected—something tragic—has happened to blot out a young life people ask WHY? They would not need ask this eternal question if girls were more closely supervised during the most impressionable and emotional period of their lives.

"To a girl in her teens love is the greatest thing in all the world. This was probably true with Marian Lambert. She was willing to sacrifice anything at the sacred altar of Eros. And she sacrificed the most sacred thing of all—herself.

"She fell simply because she was powerless to overcome an excess of affection. And what she did was done to convince a heartless young blade that she loved him.

"This twentieth century freedom has intoxicated American maidenhood as a strong draught of wine intoxicates a bachante.

"We need not hope that woman will return to the old restraint. She has tasted the nectar of freedom and it has fired her blood. What we can hope is that she will learn to aspire to higher ideals of motherhood.

"I don't think you can teach girls to guard themselves by pouring a mass of so-called sex instruction into their brains. All girls know too much of this sort of thing. The less they know the greater is their modesty. And there is no protection that makes them more secure than modesty. This is the 'inner voice' which never whispers false advice."

ORPET'S FIANCEE, SERIOUSLY ILL, SEEKS WORD FROM ACCUSED BOY

De Kalb, Ill., February 15.

UNAWARE that her fiance, William H. Orpet, was in jail charged with the murder of Marian Lambert, his former sweetheart, Celestia Youker asked her nurses repeatedly if a letter had not come from her "Bill."

Miss Youker, who is a clergyman's daughter, has not been told of her sweetheart's arrest. She is seriously ill at her home with heart trouble. Her physicians declare that she is too ill to be told of the tragedy and her fiance's subsequent arrest.

"Nevertheless she must be told pretty soon," Dr. T. A. Johnson, her attending physician, said today. "She's worrying desperately about a letter. If necessary Miss Youker will be able to testify after a week or so. But the shock of discovery now might be serious and she is in no condition to stand the ordeal of any examination."

Miss Youker's friends were wondering today if she will break her engagement to Orpet, as he has predicted, when she learns of his predicament. Some of them didn't think she would.

"She's a loyal girl," they said, "and will stick to 'Bill.'"

Body Given Up by Undertaker on Court Order

Michael Farrell, the Roxbury undertaker who was holding the body of Mrs. Josephine T. Ross, has surrendered it to Mrs. Ross' relatives upon order of Judge Fox of the Suffolk Superior Civil Court.

Farrell said that he did not desire to hold the body and would relinquish it on payment of his fees.

Richard W. Walsh, counsel for Mrs. Ross' niece and sister, said his clients considered the fees excessive. Walsh added:

"It is time the court made some order about undertakers who grab a body and prepare it for burial and charge excessive fees."

Farrell delivered the body to another undertaker. The funeral will be held tomorrow.

HOLYOKE INSURANCE AGENT A SUICIDE

Holyoke, Dec. 15.—Zigmundt Maslowski, an insurance agent for the Prudential Life Insurance Company, whose territory was in Springfield in the Ludlow district, died today after taking a dose of poison Sunday at his home here. Financial difficulties was the reason given for the suicide.

BELMONT PASSES FIRELESS JANUARY

Fire Prevention Commissioner O'Keefe reports that in January Belmont was the only fireless community in the metropolitan district. Reading had the greatest number of fires in proportion to population.

From the Lofty Plateaux

of Ceylon's mountain tops, come the tender leaves and buds for

"SALADA"

Rich and fragrant with Nature's sweetness they reach you in a few short weeks still redolent with the bloom of freshness and purity. These delicate young leaves yield up their essence to the utmost and give you many more cups to the pound than can be obtained from 'cheap', dusty teas. B 122

WILSON CANCELS TOUR; WILL "SIT ON INTERNATIONAL LID"

By JOHN EDWIN NEVIN,
International News Service Staff Correspondent.

Washington, Feb. 15.—President Wilson definitely abandoned his planned additional swings around the circuit in behalf of his preparedness policy, it was learned today, because of the increasing critical complications facing this country in its international relations. He is impressed with the belief that the coming six months will bear far more directly on the future of the United States than any period in the past. And the one thing which he is awaiting with profound seriousness is an early personal report from Colonel E. M. House, his special envoy to Europe.

The President, his advisers say, is now convinced that the country and Congress is awake to the need of defence legislation and "will sit on the international lid" for the present.

Colonel House, who will return to Washington as soon as possible, went to Europe on a two-fold mission. His first object was to determine whether there was any prospect whatever for peace negotiations to win out if initiated by President Wilson. His answer, cabled and communicated to the President immediately after he returned to Washington from his western speaking trip, was that England will not consent to any peace suggestions at present, and that France intended to await the outcome of her summer campaign to drive the Germans from French soil before admitting a willingness to accept even a suggestion of outside interference in questions of peace.

SOUNDED FEELING.

The second object was to learn just what the real feeling of the European belligerents was toward the United States. The Teutonic allies believe that this government has not been frank with their cause. The Colonel was frankly told, this information reached the International News Service from a reliable source today, that to the whole truth of the "entente allies' cause was known to the United States the entire sympathy of the "Western world" would be with them.

"Cutting off the German cable and entirely indefensible censorship of their wireless"—the last terms an German official—have made this impossible, Colonel House was told by the Kaiser's closest advisers. And he brings with him a sharp protest against all American censorship of German wireless which is not extended to the cables communicating with the Entente allies.

Great Britain and France are better because "America is standing herself from the war," while Italy and Russia, although comparatively indifferent, back up the sentiment of their allies. Colonel House, it is understood, was told by French officials that if the United States had supported France as France has supported this country in the past the war would be over now.

ALLIES UNRESPONSIVE.

The French position, he was told, and part of this report already is in the President's hands, is that no arrangement of peace can be entertained until France's enemies

England was even more unresponsive. The United States is accused by the highest British officials of playing the "German game" through making protests for "political" effect. The British feeling against the United States was more than doubled by the suggestion from this country that all of the belligerents agree to disarm, merchantmen and Colonel House has been warned, it is known here, that the suggestion of such a policy can be considered "only as unfriendly" by the entente powers.

WAR SUMMARY

The Champagne region was again the centre of terrific fighting today, and indications were that the Germans hoped to swing back the French lines here and so menace or cut the lines of communication which supply Verdun.

German gains have been small, and offset in many cases by French counter attacks, but on the whole the advantage is with Germany on the past two weeks' fighting. Whether this means that Germany is concentrating tremendous forces and accepting big losses, or simply that the French defence is weakening, remains to be seen.

It is noteworthy, in the offical reports of the past two weeks, that the British seem to have had small part in the fighting. Berlin has scarcely mentioned the British troops; and London has had little to say of active fighting. While the French have been reporting heavy assaults repulsed—or the loss of trenches—London has spoken of "mining activity" or "aeroplane combats."

Perhaps the Germans have learned respect for British fighting powers.

In other fields of war, the only important incident was the junction of Austrian and Bulgarian troops in Albania, near Durazzo. That city is now half surrounded, and seems unlikely to make any defence against the invaders. Avlona, forty-five miles south, will probably be the next Austrian goal.

Italy suffered yesterday from an aerial raid which appears to have been of serious proportions. One rumor is that the raid was aimed at Briand, the French Premier, who visited the front.

There is internal demand in England for an actual blockade of Germany, and a mass meeting to urge this course upon the government was held yesterday in London. If England attempts an actual blockade, there will be more naval activity than for some time past.

The allies lost two cruisers, one French, with all on board, and the other the "Saucy Arethusa" of the British fleet, which had had a hand in a majority of the engagements of the present war, including the battle of Helgoland Big at and the battle in the North Sea, when the Germans lost the Blucher. The Arethusa gave the sinking Blucher her coup de grace with a torpedo.

PARLIAMENT OPENS WAR SESSION

By SYDNEY B. CAVE.
International News Service Staff Correspondent.

London, Feb. 15.—England's determination to fight the war to a victorious end was voiced from the throne today when King George's speech, opening the sixth session of the present Parliament, was read by Lord Chancellor Buckmaster.

"The spirit of the allies and my own people remains steadfast in the resolve to secure reparation for the violation of unprovoked and unjustifiable outrage and against aggression of power which mistakes force for right and expediency for honor," said the King.

"Gentlemen of the House of Commons, you will be asked to make due financial provision for the conduct of the war.

"My Lords and Gentlemen: The only measures that will be submitted to you are such as in the opinion of my advisers tends to the attainment of our common object.

"I confidently commend these measures to your loyalty and to your patriotism and pray that Almighty God give His blessing to your counsels."

The opening was shorn of most of the customary ceremonies and it was the first time that Parliament has been opened by a royal commission since the death of Queen Victoria.

The King's speech was read immediately after the commission. After the reading of the speech both houses adjourned until 4 o'clock.

There was cheering when the King referred to the army and navy. This reference was:

"With proud and grateful confidence I look to the courage, tenacity and resource of my army and navy, on whom we depend worthily to perform our part in the attainment of our goal."

BIG PROGRAM OUTLINED.

The sixth session of Parliament opened with the following program of business before it:

First—The voting of another credit of $1,250,000,000, which will bring the total war credits up to $9,500,000,000.

Second—Adoption of measures to strengthen the air defences of England.

Third—Amendment to the policy of blockade to prevent food from reaching Germany through neutral ports and an extension of the navy's power.

Fourth—Adoption of a policy of economy for both the government and public and the possible curtailment of imports.

In connection with the discussion of national economy it is inevitable that the question of discontinuing the salaries of the cabinet members will again be before Commons.

Another question which will receive serious consideration is that of taxation. For some time Reginald McKenna, Chancellor of the Exchequer, has been engaged upon the troublesome problem of finding new sources of revenue. It is then will be even more urgent when the war loan is introduced later in the session.

GALLERIES CROWDED.

Interest in the session of Parliament opening today was very high, as was evidenced by the big crowds in the galleries. There were many men in khaki, both on the floor and in the spectators' galleries. The life of the present Parliament will expire on September 20 unless there is a second extension of its official life. It has already been prolonged once.

During the meeting a privy council was held at Buckingham Palace at which King George attached his signature to the royal address.

U-Monitors for New Campaign by Navy of Kaiser

By ARCHIBALD HURD,
Naval Expert of the London Daily Telegraph.

London, Feb. 15.

AMONG the new vessels built by Germany are some described as "submarine monitors." They have already been at sea and are fairly big vessels. Above a circular hull is a long battery, protected by armor, which can be made water-tight. In the centre is the command's tower.

The submarine monitor can approach its unsuspecting prey and can bring its armored battery just above the water, leaving the hull submerged. In this awash condition she may be immune from the light artillery of a merchant ship, the submarine's guns being behind steel walls. Should a British man-of-war appear, it would be easy to close the battery and dip beneath the surface.

Such vessels, I imagine, will be used in the new campaign.

13 KILLED IN AUSTRIAN AIR RAID OVER NORTHERN ITALY

By CAMILLO CIANFARRA,
International News Service Staff Correspondent.

Rome, Feb. 15.—The Austrian air raid over Milan on Monday was only part of a great series of attacks against cities in northern Italy.

Reports received today show that thirteen persons were killed and that extensive damage was done by fires set by incendiary bombs.

Among the air craft in the fleet which made the attack were big armored battle planes which had evidently been furnished to the Austrian military authorities by Germany.

ATTACK ON MONZA.

In addition to the attack on Milan bombs were dropped upon Monza, where one person was killed and seven wounded. One shell fell within the memorial chapel erected to the memory of King Humbert. Another fell upon the grounds of the Villa Reale, the former Summer palace of King Victor Emmanuel.

Many windows were broken in the Cathedral of St. John, a fourteenth century structure of the Lombard-Gothic style of architecture.

At Bergamo a man was killed by a shell which was thrown in the cotton and silk mill district.

Two persons were killed at Treviglio, seven bombs being dropped. Treviglio is the birthplace of Michael Angelo and a monument to his memory was damaged.

A squadron of six aeroplanes tried to attack Brescia, but news of the approach of the machines had been telegraphed ahead, and they were greeted with such a heavy fire from the high-angle guns that they had to retire.

RAIDERS DRIVEN OFF.

A big fire was set in Mompiano. One of the hostile visitors hovered over the railway station, dropping two bombs, but before it could do any further damage was compelled to flee from the shrapnel which the anti-aircraft guns were pumping at it. The second tried to reach the barracks and aerodrome, but the three Italian machines began manoeuvring to cut off its escape, meanwhile pouring in a hot fire from machine guns.

"In all ten bombs were dropped. One fell in a factory chimney. Another struck the barracks. Three fell near the station. The bombs fell over the cemetery on the outskirts of the city was demolished. The machines remained over the city nearly half an hour.

FRENCH RETAKE TRENCHES IN CHAMPAGNE

Paris, Feb. 15.—The French War Office today announced the recapture of part of the trenches taken by the Germans in Champagne on February 13. The following communique was issued:

"In Champagne we have recaptured part of the advanced trenches occupied by the enemy on February 13 east of the road from Tahure to Somme-Py.

"In Lorraine there were some patrol engagements in the sector of Reillon.

"The night was calm on the rest of the front."

ALLIES TO HOLD BIG COUNCIL IN PARIS

By CHARLES P. BERTELLI,
International News Service Correspondent.

Paris, Feb. 15.—The greatest war council in which representatives of all the entente powers have participated will be held in Paris early in March. Both military and economic matters will be discussed with the aim of settling several vexing problems that have arisen.

Premier Briand conferred with President Poincare today, and later summoned the cabinet, to which he gave details of the agreement which he had effected with the Italian government during his recent visit to Rome. At the same time he announced that three members of the Italian cabinet, Premier Salandra, Minister of War Zupelli and Minister of Finance Daneo, would arrive here in March. They will represent Italy at the war council.

England's representatives probably will be Sir Edward Grey, David Lloyd-George and Reginald McKenna, respectively foreign secretary, minister of munitions and chancellor of the exchequer.

ALLIES TWO WARSHIPS SUNK, CLAIM OF BERLIN

By International News Service.

London, Feb. 15.—The Admiralty announced today that in addition to sinking the British cruiser Arabis in the Dogger bank engagement, German torpedo boats also sent another British warship to the bottom with a torpedo.

The Admiralty statement giving additional details of the Dogger bank battle speaks of British vessels of a new type now in service, saying:

"New English ships took part in the Dogger bank naval battle. They are constructed for mining and air defence purposes, being built on the lines of a small cruiser.

"They have a speed of sixteen knots and carry crews of seventy-eight men. They were taken into active service only in January."

The British Admiralty announced yesterday that the cruiser Arethusa had been blown up by a mine. This may be the vessel referred to in the Berlin government's announcement.

COLONEL HOUSE DELAYS HIS RETURN

London, Feb. 15.—Colonel Edward M. House, confidential envoy of President Wilson, will postpone his return to the United States. He had planned to leave London on February 20 and sail the next day, but it was announced today that he would change his plans owing to "pressing engagements."

When Colonel House arrived here from Paris he expected to have only a few conferences here and to terminate his business in the British capital early, but it is understood that complications have developed, owing to the Teuton government's policy with reference to armed merchantmen, may keep him there for some time.

ROBERT DUNCAN OF WOBURN DIES AT 60

Robert Duncan, retired Boston leather manufacturer, died at his Woburn home today, after a lingering illness. Mr. Duncan was born in Barnstable, N. S., sixty years ago, and ran away from home at an early age. In 1881 he started in the glazed kid leather business in Boston, and retired two years ago. He leaves two sons, Norman L., and Lorraine Duncan.

MRS. HALL FOLLOWS HUSBAND IN DEATH

Lowell, Feb. 15.—Mrs. James Edward Hall died at her home at No. 24 Worthen street today, her death being hastened by grief for her husband, who died Sunday. He was seventy-eight, she seventy-five. They will be buried together Thursday. He had claimed the honor of being the first volunteer to answer Lincoln's first call for troops. He was in the sixth Regiment when it was mobbed in Baltimore, and was in twelve of the great battles of the war and in Sherman's march to the sea.

ASK M'CALL TO OUST SWERAGE BOARD

Governor McCall said today that representatives of organized labor had asked him to remove the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board for alleged failure to compel Andrew Cusack, a contractor on State work, to pay the prevailing rate of wages to laborers. The charges were lodged with the Governor by the Boston Central Labor Union and the Building Trades Council of Boston.

ASKS PROTECTION FROM HIGHER FARE

Attorney George A. Sweetser, representing the town of Wellesley, today asked the Public Service Railways Committee to repeal the right of the Public Service Commission to authorize fare increases on street railways that have agreed with cities and towns not to charge more than a five cent fare.

PROTEST GERMANY'S NEW PLAN IN SENATE

Washington, Feb. 15.—A joint resolution vigorously protesting against the announcement by the German Admiralty that after March 1 all armed enemy merchantmen would be torpedoed without warning was introduced in the Senate today by Senator Sterling of South Dakota.

DRINK WATER TO AVOID SICKNESS, SAYS AUTHORITY

Glass of hot water before breakfast daily keeps the doctor away.

Sanitary science has of late made rapid strides, with results that are of untold blessing to humanity. The latest application of its unifying research is the recommendation that it is as necessary to attend to internal sanitation of the drainage system of the human body as it is to the drains of the house.

Those of us who are accustomed to feel dull and heavy when we arise, splitting headache, stuffy from a cold, foul tongue, nasty breath, acid stomach, can't realize how fast as fresh as a daisy by opening the sluices of the system each morning and flushing out the whole of the internal poisonous stagnant matter.

Everyone, whether ailing, sick or well, should, each morning before breakfast, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver and bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour bile and poisonous toxins, thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach. The action of hot water and limestone phosphate on an empty stomach is wonderfully invigorating. It cleans out all the sour fermentations, gases, waste and acidity and gives one a splendid appetite for breakfast. While you are enjoying your breakfast the phosphated hot water is quietly extracting a large volume of water from the blood and getting ready for a thorough flushing of all the inside organs.

The millions of people who are bothered with constipation, biliousness, stomach trouble, rheumatic stiffness; others who have sallow skins, blood disorders and sickly complexions are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store. This will cost very little, but is sufficient to make anyone a pronounced crank on the subject of internal sanitation. — Advertisement.

BREAKS A COLD IN A FEW HOURS

First dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" relieves all grippe misery.

Don't stay stuffed-up!

Quit blowing and snuffing! A dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" taken every two hours until three doses are taken will end grippe misery and break up a severe cold either in the head, chest, body or limbs.

It promptly opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages, stops nasty discharge or nose running, relieves sick headache, dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

"Pape's Cold Compound" is the quickest, surest relief known, and costs only 25 cents at drug stores. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, and causes no inconvenience. Don't accept a substitute.—Advertisement.

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ACUTE AND CHRONIC RHEUMATISM

The exact cause of rheumatism is unknown, though it is generally believed to be due to an excess of uric acid in the blood. It may be also said with equal truth that no remedy has been found which is a specific in all cases. To find the literature of rheumatism shows that there are but few drugs which have not been given a trial. In the hands of one observer we find that a certain drug has been used with the utmost satisfaction; others have found the same remedy to be a great disappointment. All physicians however agree that every method of treatment is aided by the administration of some remedy to relieve the pain and quiet the nervous system and Dr. W. B. Schulze expresses the opinion of thousands of practitioners when he says that anti-kamnia tablets should be given preference over all other remedies for the relief of the pain in all forms of rheumatism. These tablets can be purchased in any quantity. They are also unsurpassed in headache, neuralgias and all pain. Ask for A-K Tablets.

No Trouble to Keep Skin Free From Hairs

(The Modern Beauty)

There is no need of any woman to countenance superfluous hairs, because with a paste made by mixing some powdered delatone with water it is easy to get rid of them. The paste is applied for 2 to 3 minutes, then rubbed off and the skin washed. This treatment will rid the skin of hair without leaving a blemish, but care should be taken to see that you get real delatone.—Advertisement.

KEEP URIC ACID OUT OF JOINTS

Tells Rheumatism Sufferers to Eat Less Meat and Take Salts.

Rheumatism is easier to avoid than to cure, states a well-known authority. We are advised to dress warmly; keep the feet dry; avoid exposure; eat less meat, but drink plenty of good water.

Rheumatism is a direct result of eating too much meat and other rich foods that produce uric acid, which is absorbed into the blood. It is the function of the kidneys to filter this acid from the blood and cast it out in the urine; the pores of the skin are also depended on for freeing the blood of this impurity. In damp and chilly cold weather the kidneys are often overtaxed, forcing the skin pores to do double work; they become weak and sluggish and fail to eliminate the uric acid, which keeps accumulating and circulating through the system, eventually settling in the joints and muscles, causing stiffness, soreness and pain called rheumatism.

At first twinge of rheumatism get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts; put a tablespoonful to a glass of water and drink before breakfast each morning for a week. This is said to eliminate uric acid by stimulating the kidneys to their normal action, thus ridding the blood of these impurities.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless and is made from the acid grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is used with excellent results by thousands of folks who are subject to rheumatism. Here you have a pleasant, effervescent lithia-water drink, which helps overcome uric acid and is beneficial to your kidneys as well.—Advertisement.

GIRLS! BEAUTIFY YOUR HAIR AND STOP DANDRUFF

Hair becomes charming, wavy, lustrous and thick in few moments.

Every bit of dandruff disappears and hair stops coming out.

For 25 cents you can save your hair. In less than ten minutes you can double the beauty of your hair, besides it will be fluffy, wavy, fluffy, abundant and appear as soft, lustrous hair as that of a young girl's after applying some Danderine. Just try this—moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This will cleanse it of dandruff, dirt and excessive oil, and in just a few moments you have doubled the beauty of your hair. A delightful surprise awaits those whose hair has been neglected or is scraggy, dull, dry, brittle or thin, besides beautifying the hair, Danderine is absolutely certain to destroy dandruff, cleanses, purifies and invigorates the hair, forever stopping itching and falling hair, but what will please you most will be the way in a few weeks' use, when you see new hair—fine, downy hair at first—then soon you really new hair growing all over the scalp. If you want pretty, soft hair, and lots of it, surely get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any druggist or toilet goods counter and just try it.—Advertisement.

Saves Expenses and Lives

Home-Made Cough Syrup.

As item like labeled cough syrup costs the people several million dollars a year. Every item the housewife can save on, is worth while, so that this home-made, reliable, laxative cough and cold remedy will be welcomed by thousands who have never tried it. Many hundreds of Boston women already know its worth, according to reports from druggists.

Buy at the drug store a 2½-ounce package of Essence Mentholene, a concentrated fluid; empty it into a pint bottle, then add sugar syrup by pouring a half pint of boiling water into a pint of sugar. Shake well, let cool and fill up the bottle with syrup. Full directions and dosage are contained in each package. A saving of $1.50 to $2.00 is made. It is said by any curable cough, contains no opiates or poisons.—Advertisement.

To Make Your Hair Look Naturally Curly

If nearly of the straight, limp hair will adopt the simple home method, she will have as pretty wavy tresses as she could wish to own. The curliness will last for months, leaving the hair beautifully soft and glossy. Quite different from the obviously artificial curl and the parched, dead appearance of the hair produced by the heated iron.

The following mixture of course be obtained at any drug store and a few ounces will keep the hair in curl for many weeks. Being perfectly harmless and neither sticky nor greasy, no one need have the least hesitancy in using it. It is best applied with a clean tooth brush, drawing this through the hair from crown to tip just before retiring. The effect next morning will be all that any one could desire.—Advertisement.

BOSTON WHOLESALE MILLINERY CO.

ON SALE TODAY AT 8:30 A. M.

Bankrupt Millinery Stocks

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Thousands of hats—thousands of yards of ribbons and big lots of flowers, fancy feathers, etc., to go at "give-away" prices.

At 37c Hemp and Milan Hemp Hats—Crown's prices were $1.9 to $2.50.

At 50c Milan Hemp, Panama and Leghorn—Crown's prices were $3.50 to $4.50.

At $1.00 Trimmed Dress Hats—Trimmed with leather bands, flowers, ribbons, etc. Crown's prices were $3.50 to $5.

Flowers and Feathers Crown's prices were 25c to $1.00 5c and 10c

Ribbons of all kinds Crown's prices were 10c to 69c Yds. 5c and 10c

Hemp and Fancy BRAID HATS Variety of styles and colors. Crown's prices 98c to $1.50. 25c

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Flexible Flyer Sleds	2.50 to 12.00
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Boys' Frame Sleds	75c
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Snowshoes for Men, Women and Children, 3.00 to 6.00—also Toboggans and Skis.

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MEN'S UNION SUITS—Broken line of cotton, part wool and mercerized suits; broken sizes. Original values 1.50 and 2.00 **85c**

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MEN'S SHIRTS AND DRAWERS—Heavy cotton ribbed and plain Balbriggan; broken sizes. Original value 50c and 75c **39c**

MEN'S SHIRTS AND DRAWERS—Part wool, mercerized and heavy cotton. Sample sizes only. Orig. value 1.00 and 1.50.. **59c**

MEN'S SHIRTS AND DRAWERS—Part wool. Sample shirts and drawers. Original values 2.00 and 2.25 **95c**

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3000 PAIRS MEN'S SILK HOSE—Pure thread silk, double sole, heel and toe, Hirner cotton foot. Original value 50c **29c**

900 PAIRS MEN'S IMPORTED HOSE—Samples. Black, fancy and some plain colors. Cotton, mercerized and lisle thread. Original value 25c to 50c.. **17c**

Jordan Marsh Company

PREPAREDNESS TALK BY WOOD AT HARVARD

Standing at attention and clad in their khaki uniforms, the 1,100 members of the Harvard Regiment greeted Major-General Leonard Wood, who delivered in the initial lecture in Harvard's course in military science. The lecture was held in the main room of the Harvard Union and in addition to the members of the regiment several hundred other students crowded into the big room.

General Wood made a hurried trip to Cambridge. After talking to the Harvard soldiers, he dined with President Lowell, spent a few minutes talking preparedness at Radcliffe and delivered the first lecture in the technical course in military science which Professor F. K. Webster is conducting on Monday and Wednesday evenings at Cambridge. General Wood said in part:

BOOMS SUMMER CAMP.

"This is the most inspiring sight I have ever witnessed at Harvard. It does the university credit to see such an array of its students engaged in preparing themselves for military work, not to make war but to prevent it. I shall be heartily pleased if I see as many Harvard men as there are here at the Summer military camp this year.

"Gradually there is coming a realization that military training and studying is quite as valuable as other subjects studied in our universities, and I should like to know why a course in army work is not as important as a course in eugenics or zoology, for instance.

"It is the aim of the War Department to recruit 50,000 men to be held in reserve. They will be considered regular army officers and will be called on in time of need. They will also have encampments from time to time. A corps of 50,000 officers is not at all excessive when it is considered that there were nearly 200,000 officers in the Civil War.

FOR FEDERAL CONTROL.

"In the South I have found a great deal of sentiment in favor of the absolute transfer of military control to the Federal force. The plan is to have control concentrated instead of distributed among all the States—a plan which would increase the actual military strength of the country and increase the efficiency.

"In favoring the concentration idea, I do not do it because I think the officers or soldiers in the State militia are at all at fault, but because the system is wrong. The encouragement of transferring of this control form a slight minority.

"The rise of military interest at Harvard demonstrates clearly that the students have recognized the principle that with manhood suffrage goes manhood service. Harvard, in forming this regiment, has done something that it can well be proud of."

The other speakers included President Lowell, Major Henry L. Higginson and Captain Cordier, head of the regiment, who presided.

GRANDCHILD OF GEN. MILES CROSSES SEA

By International News Service.

New York, Feb. 15.—The steamer Bergenfjord is in port today from Bergen, Norway, after battling against the worst gales she had been forced to fight since she was launched. Waves sixty feet high, and a wind that registered eighty miles an hour met the liner as soon as she had safely negotiated the North Sea.

On board was Ray Baker, secretary of the American embassy at Petrograd. In his charge was five-year-old Nanita Miles, granddaughter of General Nelson Miles and the daughter of Captain Sherman Miles, attache at Petrograd.

WOMEN PLAN FOR CHARITY DOG SHOW

Arrangements for the annual charity bench show of the Ladies' Kennel Association of Massachusetts were made at a meeting at the Touraine. Mrs. Henry Bush of Chestnut Hill presided. The names of five judges for the show were submitted.

Dutch General Killed.

Batavia, Java, Feb. 15.—Lieutenant-General J. P. Michielsen, commander-in-chief of the Dutch forces in Java, was killed in an aeroplane accident today near Kravang.

Children Cry for Fletcher's

CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought has borne the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher, and has been made under his personal supervision for 30 years. Allow no one to deceive you in this. Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but experiments, and endanger the health of Children—Experience against Experiment.

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ARCHIE ROOSEVELT, son of the Colonel, a junior at Harvard, and one of the most enthusiastic members of the regiment which has been formed among the students. This photograph is the first showing young Roosevelt in his uniform.

Dancing Stars to Aid at Happy Twenty Cabaret

The Happy Twenty will hold their annual ball and cabaret show March 10 at Convention Hall.

This year promises to eclipse all previous events in this line held by this popular organization. The performers at the cabaret will include some of the best talent from New York and Boston, and not a dull moment will occur during the whole performance.

While the waltzers are having their dining up stairs, they will be entertained with some exhibitions of modern dancing given by the leading exponents of the art.

Those Clancy and Elizabeth Gallagher, and Abess and Margaret Scollins are among those who have been already signed up to appear, and "Happy" is now on the hot foot after some more stars.

"Alexander the Great" will furnish the music for the dancing and Bill Lang, the Boston manager of the Feist Publishing Company, will direct the cabaret. A band of real ragtime jazzo players will be on hand to furnish the music for the artists in this department.

The affair will be preceded by a concert from 8 till 9, when the dancing starts. This will continue till 2 a. m. The cabaret will be held from 10 p. m. until 4 a. m. Hooper Hooper will have nothing on this affair.

No tickets will be handled through the mail but the tickets can be secured from newboys at the following places: Corner of Tremont and Washington street, Boylston and Washington, Park street subway entrance, Adams square, Scollay square and the North and South stations.

"Happy's" main office will be at the office of the Boston AMERICAN, No. 58 Summer street, and his branch office at No. 261 Washington street, where tickets also can be had.

TEUTON CARDINALS TO ANSWER CHARGE

Paris, Feb. 15.—A special dispatch from Rome says that the cardinals and bishops of Germany and Austria are preparing a collective statement in answer to the letter of the Belgian bishops regarding the alleged German outrages in Belgium.

Mrs. Gardner Better.

Mrs. John L. Gardner, who for two weeks has been seriously ill with the grip at her home, Fenway Court, is reported today as resting comfortably. The belief is now expressed that she is on the way to complete recovery. At the same time it is admitted that for several days her condition was such as to cause her friends the greatest anxiety.

MRS. EASTMAN WILL ASK FOR DIVORCE

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death and an inquiry based on the belief that she had been murdered.

Professor Eastman, who was graduated from Harvard in 1890, receiving his Master of Arts degree two years later, was arrested several years ago following the death of Grogan, his brother-in-law. The two men had been engaged in forged negotiations of the Cambridge estate of their father-in-law, the late Alvin G. Clark, the famous maker of telescope lenses.

Eastman and Grogan married the two daughters of Clark. It was only a fourth of July that both were shooting, and suddenly Grogan fell, fatally wounded by a rifle ball.

Eastman was later taken into custody, but after a trial which attracted wide interest, was freed, the jury bringing in a verdict of acquittal.

MORE PUBLICITY.

The professor's niece, Beryl Grogan, at that time was a young girl, and she was one of the first on the scene after her father was shot.

More publicity came for the families during a long litigation in the courts over the distribution of the estate when Mrs. Clark died. During the legal battles there were attempts to remove Professor Eastman and others as executors and trustees of the Clark estate.

Some time later the professor's sister-in-law, Mrs. Grogan, took part in a court fight over certain diamonds, and about the same time came the publicity surrounding the "love duel" between William F. Rounds, Jr., and Herbert H. Eastman of Cambridge. Young Rounds objected to Larner's attentions to Lillian Eastman.

This case was hardly out of the public mind before the news came of Beryl Grogan's mysterious death in Texas where her mother had purchased a cotton plantation. The girl had married an employe on the plantation. The first report was that she had poisoned herself, but her mother refused to believe this, and her demands resulted in a rigorous investigation. The grand jury in Texas decided the case was one of suicide.

In all this publicity the Eastman connection with the Grogan family was frequently mentioned in the newspapers. Several years ago Professor Eastman left Harvard and went to Pittsburgh, where he engaged in research work. It has been reported that he and his wife had parted. He is now living in Pittsburgh. His latest residence is given as the University of Pittsburgh.

WAR SECRETARY TO COME FROM WEST

By International News Service.

Washington, Feb. 15.—President Wilson has eliminated candidates from all sections of the country except the Middle West, in the hunt for a man to fill the shoes of former Secretary of War Lindley W. Garrison, while House officials say no name has been decided upon. It is known positively today that the President has decided not to make any shifts in his present cabinet. The names of Secretary of State Lane and Houston have been given up as possibilities to be named Garrison.

At the White House the impression was given out that the candidates now receiving consideration are from Indiana, Illinois and Missouri.

It was made clear that President Wilson is giving the question of appointing a successor to Garrison his most earnest attention and will make his selection known when he has decided on the right man.

DOG SAVES PURDUE STUDENTS IN FIRE

Lafayette, Ind., Feb. 15.—Twenty-four Purdue University students were saved from probable death early today when "Bob," a bulldog, awoke them in time to escape from the third floor of the burning Phi Sigma Epsilon fraternity house in West Lafayette. The two lower floors were in flames and the students fled down the fire escapes. F. L. Slade was overcome by smoke. Firemen carried him down a ladder. The house, with all its furnishings and students' clothing, was a complete loss.

VOTE IS DELAYED ON NICARAGUAN TREATY

Washington, Feb. 15.—Absence of sufficient support to assure the Nicaraguan treaty, the two-thirds vote necessary for ratification caused Senator Stone, chairman of the foreign relations committee, to declare an armistice in his treaty fight until Thursday afternoon. By that time a number of Democratic Senators, out of the city, are expected to return to their seats, and the administration will feel safe in allowing the ratification to come to a vote.

BELGIAN GIFTS FOR CARDINAL GIBBONS

By International News Service.

New York, Feb. 15.—Edward E. Gaffney, representing the Belgian Relief Commission, has left for Baltimore, where he will present to Cardinal Gibbons numerous tokens of love and gratitude from Belgian children.

Among the gifts are a chalice of white satin, a prayer pillow embroidered with coats of arms of communes in the Province of Liege and pieces of embroidery made by the Comtesse de Renesse, aged sixteen.

PLANETS TAKEN FOR ZEPPELIN RAIDERS

London, Feb. 15.—Jupiter and Venus gave many timid Londoners a fright, being mistaken for Zeppelins. They were recently a degree apart after their conjunction and shone brightly in a cloudless sky.

$120,000 Ancona Claim.

New York, Feb. 15.—Dr. Cecile L. Greil, the only American-born citizen among the survivors of the torpedoed Italian liner Ancona, announces she has filed in Washington claims amounting to $120,000.

Mercury Going Up, but Slowly, Says Forecast

BOSTON TEMPERATURES:

1 a. m.	6
2 a. m.	5
3 a. m.	6
4 a. m.	3
5 a. m.	6
6 a. m.	5
7 a. m.	5
8 a. m.	7
9 a. m.	11
10 a. m.	14
11 a. m.	19
Noon	22
1 p. m.	25
2 p. m.	26

Though "slowly rising temperature" was the Weather Man's promise today to Boston, the emphasis is on the word "slowly." There was little thawing of the snow drifts today, he said, and not much tomorrow. Maybe the day after tomorrow the snow will begin to go.

This was the third coldest February in the records. In 1875 it was 2 below, and in 1888 it was 3 above. Today's low mark was 3 above at 4 o'clock this morning.

Fitchburg was 16 below; at Lake Dennison, in Winchendon, 24 below; Gardner 23, Leominster 21, Ayer 24, East Templeton 28, Shirley 25, West Townsend 22, Woburn 20, Lancaster 24, Littleton 21, Lexington 19, Ballardvale 19, Methuen 19, Norwood 2, Wakefield 7, Medford 5, Waltham 2, Wellington 2, Winchester 3, West Somerville 3 above, Brighton 4 above, Quincy 2 above, Revere 2 above, Harvard square 4 above, Edwards Everett square 6 above, Squantum 2, Deer Island 2 above, Nantucket 18 above, Pittsfield 14 below, Westboro 20 below, Stoneham 23 below, Ashland 18 below, Charlton 14 below, Franklin 12 below, Springfield 11 below, Saugus 10 below, Readville 9 below, Canton 4 below.

The Blue Hill Observatory registered zero at the coldest time during the night.

Boston was one of the warmest spots in New England. Other temperatures in New England were: Nashfield, Vt., 14 below; Concord, N. H., 18 below; Greenville, Me., 7 below; Tyngsboro, 12 below; Lowell, 12 below; Bedford, 21 below; Lincoln, 29 below.

Mile Wide Gap In Mississippi Imperils Towns

By International News Service.

Natchez, Miss., Feb. 15.—The mail levee at Limerick Plantation broke today and the Mississippi River burst through a mile-wide gap, overflowing a vast area in the Louisiana side of the river. Indications were that full 100 towns will be overflowed and 20,000 persons will be rendered homeless as the result of the break.

Horsemen were sent out to interior towns in the path of the latest flood. The riders raced with the oncoming waters to warn the inhabitants of the low-lying sections of their danger.

Damage to plantations in the neighborhood of the break will be almost enormous and other rural lands will be swept by the torrent released by the big hole in the river wall.

Tensas, Concordia, Madison, Franklin and Catholula parishes are certain to be flooded. Among the larger cities doomed to heavy flood damages are St. Joseph, Newellton, Vidalia, Waterproof and Ferriday.

Hundreds of persons rescued by the Paul Reveres of the flood started at once to drive their livestock out of the danger zone. Within an hour after the break the river at Natchez had fallen considerably, but the crevasse will relieve New Orleans and the other cities below of the flood menace.

John Cochrane Dies.

John Cochrane of Malden, one of the oldest active textile manufacturers in New England, died at his home, No. 85 Eastern avenue, aged 80.

SISTER PLEADS FOR LIFE OF COMERY

Concord, N. H., Feb. 15.—Mrs. Mary Sawyer of Concord claims today declared the approaching execution of her brother, Oscar J. Comery, on Friday, for wife-poisoning as "murder," she said.

"I am almost out of my head over this. Why should the State kill my brother? It is murder. The commandments say: 'Thou shalt not kill.' Why should the State break that commandment? Once is my brother. Why shouldn't I fight for him?"

She plans to visit the prison tomorrow.

Deputy Warden Charles Bailey said today:

"Comery is in just as good physical condition as I am and is not worrying half so much, so far as anyone in the prison can tell."

AMAZED BY COMERY'S "NERVE."

The officials are more and more surprised at Comery's "nerve," as they call it. While they have not looked for him to weaken to any great extent they were hardly prepared for that placid demeanor which the prisoner maintains.

Mrs. Ida S. Orr has been distressed lest the body of her brother be given to medical school for dissection. She heard some report to that effect. She has asked Warden Charles H. Rowe if there is any truth in it. Rowe, it is understood, that Dr. Fred A. Sprague of Manchester, could be at the hanging in order to make sure that her brother's body was not mutilated after death.

Warden Rowe has not yet given permission for Dr. Sprague to be present, but it is understood that the visit will be given if the body is claimed by her fears of mutilation are groundless. Dr. Russell Wilkins, the prison physician, sees Comery daily, but his visits are merely for observation. He is not called upon to administer to the prisoner professionally.

SHERRIF SILENT ON PLANS.

Another daily visitor to Comery is the Rev. Thomas H. O'Leary, the Roman Catholic chaplain of the institution. Comery has become reconciled to the faith of his youth and is accepting the consolations of religion.

Sheriff George Stearns of Manchester, who will officiate at this first hanging in New Hampshire for twenty-three years, is keeping arrangements as secret as he can.

SEE AIRSHIP OVER JERSEY WAR PLANT

By International News Service.

New York, Feb. 15.—Reports from Phillipsburg, N. J., said that an airship equipped with a powerful searchlight circled over that city last night. It is said to have hovered for some time over the plant of the Ingersoll-Rand Company, where war supplies are being manufactured.

It was first sighted coming from the direction of High Bridge. After flying over the plant of the Edison Cement Company at New Village, it is said to have disappeared in the direction of Bethlehem, Pa.

TELLS HOW BOMBS DAMAGED RAVENNA

London, Feb. 15.—A Daily News dispatch telling of the damage done at Ravenna says: "Only the fifteenth century facade of Basilica di Sant'Apollinare at Ravenna was injured by the Austrian bombs. The precious mosaics adorning the church, which was built by Theodoric, King of the Goths, in the sixth century, were unharmed."

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ANNUAL PREMIUM INCOME

December 31, 1899	$61,900.74
December 31, 1909	625,483.43
December 31, 1915	849,925.44

RESERVE FOR POLICYHOLDERS

December 31, 1899	$20,598.24
December 31, 1909	960,505.00
December 31, 1915	2,395,603.00

INSURANCE IN FORCE

December 31, 1899	$2,838,800.00
December 31, 1909	15,160,339.00
December 31, 1915	20,158,896.00

NUMBER OF POLICYHOLDERS

December 31, 1899	1,776
December 31, 1909	51,827
December 31, 1915	79,084

INSURANCE RECORD

Insurance in force December 31, 1914	$19,210,542.00
Insurance gained in 1915	948,354.00
Insurance in force December 31, 1915	$20,158,896.00

Total Amount Paid Policyholders Since Organization

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DECIDES CITIES SHARE COST OF BRIDGES

Chelsea and Revere must pay their proportionate share of the construction of the Chelsea bridge, Meridian street bridge and Chelsea street bridge, according to a decision by the full bench of the Supreme Court, which has refused the petition of the two cities to amend a previous rescript of the court. Chelsea will pay $74,372 expended upon the permanent bridge between Chelsea and Charlestown and $8,750 for the temporary bridge at the Chelsea north draw, while Revere will have to pay $24,250 and $2,500.

Former Attorney-General Dana Malone, Samuel C. Bennett and Albert F. Bigelow were appointed commissioners appointed to apportion the amounts to be paid by the cities for construction, repairs and maintenance of the bridges. The new bridge cost $427,000 and the temporary bridge $56,000.

The cost of maintenance of the three bridges is to be borne by Boston, which is to pay the larger share, and the Boston Elevated and Bay State street railways.

BILL WOULD GIVE CARNEGIE PENSION

Washington, Feb. 15.—Andrew Carnegie may draw a pension from the United States government if the bill introduced by Senator Kern of Indiana is approved. Kern's bill provides that Carnegie, who served slightly more as a military telegraph operator, and who has received or is entitled to receive a certificate of honorable service in the military telegraph corps of the army of the United States," shall be given a pensionable status. Carnegie served as a military telegraph operator during the Civil War.

BANKER IS HELD IN COURT AS SLAYER

Frank Luciano, a banker of the North End, was held without bail in the city court today, on a charge of murder in shooting Eugenio Covino, for a continued hearing on February 22. He was sent to Charles street jail.

The shooting took place at Lewis and North streets last night. Luciano had been released on $2,000 bail only a few hours before, after being arrested on a larceny charge to which Covino was one of two complainants.

One shot was fired at Covino. Wounded in the head, he died soon after at the Relief Hospital.

Luciano was arrested after a short chase, and the police say that he had a revolver in his possession when captured.

The police have one witness of the shooting, Orlando Iocorbi of Cooper street. He told the officers that he was standing on Lewis street and overheard Luciano and Covino talking together. From what he heard he believes that the former was reproaching the latter for causing his arrest, and said that he should have remembered that he had ten boys at home.

It is charged that then Luciano drew the revolver and fired one shot.

Shortly after the arrival of Covino at the hospital the banker was taken there and an attempt was made to have the dying man make an identification. Because of his condition this was impossible.

Luciano is one of the best-known business men of the North End district, and when the news of the shooting became known there considerable excitement prevailed. He had been in the banking business there with his brother for several years, their banking rooms being at No. 135 North street, and his connection with a wine company at No. 137 North street also made him prominent.

Percy Haughton Proud of Fact He's Half Irish

"At Harvard we have been fortunate thanks to the Irish. Gold bless them! I am half Irish myself and am proud of it."

This is what Percy D. Haughton, Harvard football coach and National League magnate, said over in Philadelphia the other night at a dinner of the Philadelphia sporting writers.

The fact that this little speech did not come over the wire with other remarks about the dinner still remains a mystery, and no one here in Boston knew just how Percy stood on the subject until the Philadelphia papers reached town yesterday.

The above mentioned remark came at the very end of a neat little address delivered by Coach Haughton, and evidently, according to Philadelphians, wasn't of enough importance to come over with the rest of the story.

Falls to Death While Cleaning Ice-Coated Roof

William Swartz, twenty-eight, while cleaning snow from the roof of the three-story residence of No. 52 Fairfield street, Back Bay, today, slipped and fell to the ground. He was fatally hurt, dying in an ambulance on the way to City Hospital.

Swartz, who lived in the North End and was employed by a South Boston roofing concern, had been holding a rope. Believing he heard a signal from the street to let the rope drop, he did so. He then went to the edge and looked over. He slipped and fell. His neck, back and legs were fractured.

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—Satins —Taffetas —Dresdens
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—Loom ends, 2 to 8 yards, from one of our best manufacturers. Values to 59c, at 29c

—8-inch satin taffetas, mostly light colorings. Values to 45c, at 29c

—6-inch heavy moire taffeta, with 1-inch satin border. Value 59c, at 29c

—5½ to 6-inch dresden ribbons. Dainty new colorings. Value 39c, at 29c

RIBBONS 12½c
—Values to 29c
—Remnants of dainty Dresdens, 4 to 5½ inches wide, a yd. 12½c.

RIBBONS 19c
—Values to 39c
—4-inch 39c Hairbow Taffetas, with one-inch plaid border, 12½c

RIBBONS 19c
—Values to 39c
—Remnants of Dresdens up to 7½ inches wide, a yd. 19c.

—5½-inch 29c heavy Hairbow Taffetas and 6-inch Hairbow Polka Dots in solid colors, 19c

—5-inch 39c Roman Stripe Moire Fallies, rich and colorful, 19c

RIBBONS 39c
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Black and colored velvets from 2½ to 4 inches wide. Great opportunities for home milliners. Values to 89c. Choice 39c.

—Loom ends of up to $1.00 ribbons at 39c. Include
—Tapestries —Jacquards
—Embroidered Velvets
—Dresdens, Velours, etc.

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—Values to 49c
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Lengths 2 to 5 yards.

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¼ in.	10c	8c	1½ in.	35c	23c
⅜ in.	12½c	8c	2 in.	49c	29c
½ in.	17c	10c	2½ in.	55c	35c
1 in.	25c	12½c	2½ in.	69c	39c
1¼ in.	30c	17c	3 in.	75c	45c

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—Clocks, etc.

Many of the pieces worth $6.00 and $6.50—none worth under $3.50; average is easily $4.50 and $5.00. Naturally the best pieces will go first, but even the poorest piece is a prize at $2.98.

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SIMPLE BURIAL SERVICES FOR TROWBRIDGE

The funeral of John T. Trowbridge, author of "Jim Bludso's Call" and many other stories which have fascinated boys for the past three generations, took place today at his late home, No. 152 Pleasant street, in Arlington.

The ministers were the author's son, Arthur Trowbridge; his son-in-law, Professor H. M. Yeames of Hobart College and C. H. von Baer, and Nixon Waterman, the writer.

The entire colony of Arlington was well represented at the funeral. Persons of literary note from Greater Boston and outside came to the final service for the man whose writings were known for their literary charm and their marked cleanliness of thought and style.

The service reflected the religious and literary personality of the dead. The Webber quartet sang "Abide With Me." The Reverend Frederic Gill, pastor of the Arlington Unitarian Church, read from the Scriptures, from the Trowbridge poems, "Midsummer" and "At Sea," and from Ralph Waldo Emerson's "Forerunners."

The quartet sang "God Is Our Help." A brief eulogy by the pastor on Mr. Trowbridge's life and works followed. Prayer was offered. The service concluded with Tennyson's "Crossing the Bar," sung by the quartet. Burial was in Woodlawn Cemetery in Melrose.

CITIZENS TO FIGHT BROOKLINE PLANT

The proposed incinerating plant which the town of Brookline intends to build in the Reservoir Lane district is expected to be the object of a sturdy fight at the next town meeting. Residents of the Reservoir Lane district will turn out in large numbers to fight the project, it is said.

ONE DEAD IN WRECK OF SOUTHERN FLYER

Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 15.—The Florida Limited, one of the crack trains of the Seaboard Air Line, was wrecked near here early today for the second time in a week. One person was killed and two injured. The train was bound for New York.

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DANVERS, MASS., WOMAN RECEIVES BLESSING

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SOCIETY HAPPENINGS

MISS DEACON TO ATTEND BRIDE

SOCIETY TO ATTEND THE JUNIOR ASSEMBLY

MISS EDITH DEACON.

She will be one of the attendants at Saturday's wedding of Miss Dorothy Jordan and Monroe D. Robinson.

Miss Edith Deacon, a Boston society girl, who made her debut in 1907 and who since has become widely known both in this country and abroad for her beauty, will be one of the bridal attendants at Saturday's wedding of Miss Dorothy Jordan and Monroe Douglas Robinson.

Miss Deacon is the youngest daughter of the late Edward Parker Deacon. She has lived much abroad and now makes her home in New York, though she has taken part in a number of notable society events here this season.

She is a prominent Newporter each Summer. She is a sister of the Princess Radziwill and was engaged to George Lee Peabody of Boston before his death in 1911.

Miss Deacon acted as a nurse with the French Ambulance Corps during the early part of the European war. She is regarded as a clever sculptor.

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The Junior Assembly, with Mrs. A. Lawrence Lowell, Mrs. Robert Bacon and Mrs. Howard Elliott of the committee, and Mrs. Charles Francis Adams, Mrs. Edward D. Brandegee, Mrs. John T. Lindex, Mrs. Henry Parkman and Mrs. Edwin S. Webster in the receiving line, will be held tonight at the Somerset.

Dudley Howe will be head usher, assisted by a number of Harvard men. Mrs. A. Lawrence Rotch, Mrs. Charles E. Perkins, Mrs. Henry Parkman and Mrs. Paul Thorndike are all entertaining at dinner before the dance and going on to the Somerset later with their guests.

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Mrs. H. Staples Potter of No. 82 Commonwealth avenue opened her house today for a lecture and musical in aid of the Polish relief fund bazaar.

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The Chilton Club was the scene today of a large bridge party under the direction of Mrs. Charles E. Inches, Mrs. Georgs B. Stoddard and Miss Goose Derby. The event was in aid of Miss Gulou and her work in Paris among French and Belgian ladies who have fled from the war zone.

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Mme. Jeanne Roulet-Levey of Paris is the guest of Mrs. Henry L. Higginson at her apartment at the Agassiz on Commonwealth avenue. Mme. Roulet-Levey gave her French reading today at the home of Mrs. M. Graeme Haughton and tomorrow Mrs. Robert Treat Paine, 2d, will open her Beacon street residence for the reading.

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Mrs. E. Stuart Clark will entertain the Americus Club tonight at her home or Day State road tonight. A "Commedia del Arte" will be followed by dancing.

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The Copley Society will hold its February meeting at Copley Hall tonight. The operetta "Bastien and Bastienne" will be presented and David Sequeira will give for the first time three original compositions.

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Mrs. Margaret Deland invites the public to her annual potpuri sale, which, having through illness, will be continued tomorrow if all are not sold. There are 1,000 bulbs, including jonquils, tulips, crocuses and little grape hyacinths. The proceeds this year are to be used for a vacation camp for working girls.

$8,205,000,000 N. Y. REAL ESTATE VALUE

New York, Feb. 15.—Figures prepared by accountants of the city's finance department show that personal property here amounts to $10,000,000, an increase of $17,000,000 over the estimate made a year ago. The value of real estate is placed at $8,205,000,000, an increase of $97,000,000.

PENNSYLVANIA IS READY FOR TRIALS

Newport News, Va., Feb. 15.—The superdreadnought Pennsylvania, now nearing completion here, will start on her trial trips next Thursday morning. The builders' trial will be run for the first two days; then the vessel will be taken to Boston. Me., where she will undertake her official standardization and speed trials.

Newport Beauty Dies Victim to Anti-Fat Diet

Newport, R. I., Feb. 15.—Miss Myra Gallagher, called the most handsome modiste or saleswoman in this city, is dead at her home after an illness of nearly a year. She was not quite twenty-one.

Miss Gallagher was among the young women here who attempted to reduce weight by eating sour foodstuffs, including lemons, and partaking sparingly of food, although more than a year ago she weighed 120.

She was tall, possessed a beautiful face and figure, but her treatment against which she was warned by her employers and associate girls, was of no avail.

Miss Gallagher was obliged through illness less than a year ago to give up her position and take treatment in another part of the State. She returned last Fall, when she seemed like another person.

Mrs. Hermann Oelrichs, the Newport society leader, intended to have Miss Gallagher as the hat model at her millinery booth during the Red Cross fete on the grounds of the Breakers. Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt's estate, two Summers ago.

T. R. Says Wilson Fears Only Him and the Kaiser

By International News Service.

Washington, Feb. 15.—The latest word on politics from Theodore Roosevelt reached Washington through Sam Sells, an old line Republican who represents the First District of Tennessee in the House. He and Roy O. Woodruff of Michigan, who was in the last Congress as a Progressive Republican, called on the Colonel just before the former President started on his voyage to Bermuda.

They report the former President as saying:

I am not for any particular Republican for the presidency, but I am against the re-election of Woodrow Wilson.

He has deadened the conscience of the American people by his foreign policy.

There are only two things he is afraid of. I am one and the Kaiser is the other.

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FRANKLIN P. WINSTON CO. 14 Milk Street—A Few Doors from the Old South Church.

SAVE BLIND MEN IN BLAZE AT CAMBRIDGE

Twenty blind men were helped to the street when fire broke out in the building where they were at work in Cambridgeport today.

The fire broke out in the basement of a plumbing supplies shop—that of the Norwood-Rundlett Company—and worked up into the shop itself, making a tremendous amount of smoke.

On the second floor of the building the twenty blind men were at work, making baskets, brooms and the like. They come to the building every day, and work under the direction of the Massachusetts Commission for the Blind.

The dense smoke poured up the stairs and into the room, and the helpless men were thrown into a temporary panic.

Patrolman Andrew Conlin, the firemen and a number of volunteers made their way up the stairs and led the blind men to the street.

The fire was quickly drowned, with slight damage.

Twenty-Three Flee Blaze in West End

Twenty-three persons were driven to the street in the West End early today by a fire of unknown origin in the five-story brick apartment house No. 69 Myrtle street and No. 18 Revere street. The fire was discovered in a basement lunch room occupied by Max Rubin.

The blaze was discovered by Patrolman Maloney of the Joy street station. With Patrolman Sullivan of the same station he went through the house warning the occupants.

The house is occupied on the first floor by Bernard Cohen, owner of the property, his wife and six children; on the second by Mr. and Mrs. I. Atshuler, third by Frederick Glaser, wife and three children, and on the two upper floors by Peter Karahala, his wife and six children.

All reached the street in safety and were cared for by neighbors.

The damage was estimated by the police at $500.

Prisoners Scared by Station House Fire

Twenty-five prisoners at the Hanover street police station were thrown into a panic late last night when a fire, which had been smouldering for nearly an hour, was discovered under the floor of the station between the cell and guard rooms.

A still alarm was rung in by lieutenant John J. Rooney and the fire extinguished with slight damage.

The prompt action made by the prisoners but the squad of men doing house duty at the police business in case the fire reached the cell room.

State Police Aid in Chelsea Fire Probe

The State police were today asked by Fire Chief Damon F. Hudson of Chelsea to assist in an investigation of a fire which early today badly damaged the one-story brick block, Nos. 350-356 Broadway, Chelsea, late last night.

The total damage was estimated by the owner and occupants of the building at $18,000.

The fire at one stage threatened to get beyond control and sweep through the district. It was checked only after a big hour fight in the zero weather. Several firemen suffered minor frost bites while at work on the scene.

The building is owned by Charles Fisher of No. 13 Nightingale street, Dorchester. It is occupied by the Samuels Hard are Company, Stone Brothers' haberdashery and the Atlas Laundry.

The fire was discovered in the basement of the hardware store on Alderman Abraham Klubock, School Committeeman Harry F. Smith and Barnett Berman.

Smith sounded the first alarm, Chief Hudson following this with a general alarm upon the arrival. The fire drew a crowd of 2,000 persons. Street car traffic was blocked for more than an hour.

The danger of an explosion among the paints, oils, etc., in the hardware store at first prompted Chief Hudson to keep his men outside. When they later entered the cellar they fought the fire in water knee deep.

MENKEN DEMANDS DANIELS QUIT JOB

Pittsburgh, Feb. 15.—S. Stanwood Menken, president of the National Security League, who yesterday declared Secretary of the Navy Daniels was unfit for office, today followed up this remark with a demand for his resignation.

Woman Rescued from Flames in Two-Alarm Blaze in India Square

Fighting the fire in India square today. The extreme cold handicapped the firemen, turning ladders into icy perils and coating the fire-fighters with stiff jackets of frozen spray.

Mrs. Mary McNeil was overcome by smoke in a two-alarm fire in the triangular building at Nos. 2 and 4 Storer street and No. 25 India square today,[1] and was carried down from the second floor by Joseph Cannata of No. 163 Salem street, who had heard her scream before she collapsed.

Mrs. McNeil was taken to her home, No. 195 Silver street, South Boston.

Matteo Luca, who has charge of the furnace in the building, was reported missing after the fire. He was said to hav gone into the building after the fire was discovered and to have been seen on the fourth floor while the firemen were working on the flames. His home is at No. 154 Sumner street, East Boston.

Search through the ruins for Luca failed to reveal any trace of him. It was concluded that he had made his way out of the burning building and gone home.

PINNED BY DOOR.

Deputy Fire Chief Taber started to open a heavy door on the third floor. The hinges had been burned off. The door fell suddenly, pinning the deputy flat on the floor. He extricated himself with some difficulty, but escaped unhurt.

Hoseman John Hardy of Engine 25 slid down a stairway, through the street doorway and out on the India square sidewalk. He was bruised. Despite his protests he was ordered to the engine house for examination for possible injuries.

The fire burned out the four and one-half-story brick building, which is owned and occupied by James J. Graham & Co., dealers in paper stock and rags.

Robert Graham of the firm said that the total damage to building, stock and fixtures would approach $50,000.

This building adjoins the new five-story brick building of Samuel Ward Company, with a party wall between. Hose streams were played on the sides of the Ward building nearest the burning one.

SMELLED SMOKE.

The fire started in the basement of the paper stock building, caused possibly from an overheated furnace.

The twenty employes of the Graham company came to work at 7:30. The fire started soon after 7. Mrs. Mary McNeil happened to be on hand a little early. She went to the second floor, but before she had time to remove her street garments she smelled smoke.

The building has stairways to the Storer street and India square exits. Mrs. McNeil ran to one stairway and found it in flames. She screamed. Cannata, her rescuer, ran up the other stairway and took her down over his shoulder.

Engine 28 from Congress street and Tower 3 and Ladder 18 from Pittsburgh street, all motor apparatus, became stalled in snow drifts on the way and had to be dug out.

Three Alarms for Cambridge Blaze

There were three alarms for a fire in Cambridge, which badly damaged the Municipal Building in Brattle square, and for nearly an hour threatened to wipe out the city's entire fire alarm system.

The fire started, apparently, in the hayloft, in the rear of the second floor of the old five-story brick building just over the stables of Engine No. 1 and Ladder No. 1.

It was discovered at 2:30 by Lieutenant John J. Cairney of Police Division No. 1 and Patrolman George Griffith and Janitor John Geary. They were in the police station on the first floor, front, when they were alarmed by a strong smell of smoke.

The blaze worked up from the second floor to the fourth, spreading out at the ceiling of each floor toward the front of the building. Almost the entire fire department of Cambridge, assisted by volunteers from Harvard College, who turned out in force, in spite of the 1 degree below zero temperature, was concentrated at the fire, to prevent, if possible, the destruction of the signal room.

They managed to keep the fire out of this room, which is the battery room adjoining, to the front, caught fire several times. Not only was the signal system put out of use, the operating cables, running to the signal room, were prevented from burning.

The building was built in the early 70s, and was valued at $60,000. It was recently recommended that this building be replaced with a new central police station and District court. In the old building, besides the two fire companies and the police station, there was the District Court and several organization headquarters, including the Spanish War Veterans and the Grand Army post. In the basement was the Sealer of Weights and Measures.

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GOLD POURS IN FOR MISSING LYMAN

While the police of every city in the East are searching for Dr. J. Grant Lyman, who fled Boston last May just ahead of the law, after he had fleeced Bostonians out of several thousands of dollars, gold still continues to shower into the office of J. P. Putnam & Company, of No. 68 Broad street, New York.

Notwithstanding the publicity given to the giant swindle and Dr. Lyman, its missing head, every mail contains checks. More than $15,000 was sent into the concern from dupes all over the country. All of the mail has been turned over to John L. Lyttle, the New York receiver.

"We expect to arrest the man," said Assistant United States District Attorney Stanton of New York, "and he will be charged with conspiring to use the mails to defraud. He took $400,000 out of New York alone.

"We have at least twenty-five complaints against him for his swindle in connection with Oxidol. More are coming in every day. One man in Pennsylvania sent him $70,000 at one time by mistake. All he ever received for it was a copy of a fake stock order.

"There are several persons who left $10,000 each with him. They have receipts for it, but that is all."

ISSUES SUBPOENAS.

Stanton said it was Lyman's line of conversation and ability to turn out literary masterpieces in the way of business letters that won him so many victims. According to the District Attorney's office, no less was fascinating. His spending proclivities, too, earned him a following that brought him more dupes.

It is known that the federal officers are trying to connect up the missing Lyman with E. J. Arnold & Company, a concern in St. Louis that put through a $2,000,000 swindle about twelve years ago. There was a Lyman connected with that firm, who was also known as Lampman and Gith. In fact the authorities are tracing Lyman's record for the last twenty years.

It was stated that Dr. Lyman's wife, who has been in London, was to have reached New York, but she did not arrive. A friend with whom Lyman left $20,000 to give to his wife, received a letter instead, but no explanation was made concerning her failre to put in appearance.

Judge Hand has signed an order for the issuance of subpoenas for sixteen persons in connection with the bankruptcy proceedings of the Putnam firm.

LYMAN A MARVEL.

"The J. Rufus Wallingford of fiction was a piker compared with the J. Rufus Wallingford of real life, Dr. John Grant Lyman."

This statement was made by Gorham Tuttle in New York. He is a dealer in real estate and investments of Los Angeles, Cal. For three years he has been on the trail of the most remarkable get-rich-quick operator real life ever has known.

"I have met many, but Mr. Tuttle, what Dr. Lyman has received and disposed of at least $5,000,000 in the last ten years. He virtually picked money out of the air. His life was a dream. Just about one time out of everything he touched seemed to turn to gold. Perhaps he got money dishonestly. Possibly he did not.

"The man is a marvel. He has no idea of the value of money. Everything he does is done on a fabulous scale. He does not buy a half dozen pairs of socks as does the ordinary man, he buys a hundred pairs. He buys $1,000 worth of underwear at a time.

Louis B. Thornet, office manager for Dr. Lyman, who is held in $15,000 bonds for a hearing Thursday, has had several conferences with Mr. Tuttle.

Eighty Pupils Flee School.

Freeport, Me., Feb. 15.—The Maple Hill grammar school caught fire while eighty pupils were seated in its two rooms, but familiarity with fire drill resulted in the orderly escape of all.

WINS DIVORCE BY STORY OF CRUELTY

Mrs. Alice N. Guy of Brockton was granted a divorce from her husband, Herbert A. Guy of Braintree, on the grounds of cruelty, by Judge Irwin in the jury waived session of the Norfolk Superior Court at Dedham. Testimony to the effect that she was choked, kicked, pursued by her husband with a butcher knife in his hand and other cruelties was given by the libellant.

"My husband pushed me violently from him on to the floor one day when I was sitting in his lap," said the witness, and "another time he threw a glass of water in my face.

"He started to choke me while I was sitting on a couch. Five days later he returned home from work in the middle of the forenoon and abused me. He pulled my nose, chased me around the room and kicked me with his foot, which became black and blue."

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THEATRES

HODGE STARS IN BRIGHT COMEDY

By FRED J. McISAAC.

WILLIAM HODGE, than whom nobody is more popular in this village, has returned in a new play which bears the curious title of "Fixing Sister." The author is the mysterious Lawrence Wilkinson, who wrote "The Road to Happiness," and whom some folks suspect of being Hodge himself.

"Fixing Sister" is a sort of companion piece to "The Man from Home," in which Hodge won his Iron Cross for exposing the British aristocracy.

In "The Man from Home" it was a Hoosier from Kokomo, Ind., who went to Europe, got chummy with a Russian Grand Duke and rescued his ward and her fortune from a group of noble crooks.

In "Fixing Sister" it is a parson from Kansas City who comes to New York and removes the scales from the eyes of his sister and his sweetheart, who are fascinated by some more pseudo British aristocrats. Hodge is death on aristocrats, real or phoney, and he may always be depended upon for the plain people.

The sister who requires fixing is a wealthy Western widow whose head is turned by a trip in pursuit of her coupons. She sets up an expensive establishment in New York and goes into debt. She wishes to loan a large sum to Lord Haggett, an alleged British nobleman, and is compelled to apply to her brother in Kansas City, executor of her late husband's will, to get the money. This brings Hodge into the play.

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SHAWMUT THEATRE—The Ben Craig Players are appearing here in "Bought and Paid For." This company has been figuratively taken to the hearts of the patrons of this house, for not only are they a capable band of players, but the majority of them are fortunate enough to have their association with the Castle Square Company.

Star in Dilemma; Audience Gasps

New York, Feb. 15.—Erma Zarska, one of the singers at the Metropolitan Opera House, not only furnished good music, but also a thrill yesterday.

The first acquaintance was caused by her dress, a creation direct from Paris, and the only way to describe it is to say the audience saw a great deal of Erma.

Just as she was about to sing and all the longest of the opera glasses and eye In the audience were fastened on her something happened. Mlle. Zarska said later her dress shoulder strap slipped. Anyhow, quick adjustments were necessary. The audience gasped. After a time all was forgiven the singer, she sang so well.

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Coming Events

COPLEY THEATRE—Mr. Vroom's dramatic organization of over fifty players is daily growing in numbers and in excellence. His plan of presenting a series of Shakespearian and romantic plays with local players chosen for their fitness for the roles assigned them has met with enthusiastic response. Hamlet is to be given tomorrow afternoon, and for the next production, which is "A Night in Old Paris," eight new players are added to the organization.

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Star in Dilemma; Audience Gasps

New York, Feb. 15.—Erma Zarska, one of the singers at the Metropolitan Opera House, not only furnished good music, but also a thrill yesterday.

The first acquaintance was caused by her dress, a creation direct from Paris, and the only way to describe it is to say the audience saw a great deal of Erma.

Just as she was about to sing and all the longest of the opera glasses and eye In the audience were fastened on her something happened. Mlle. Zarska said later her dress shoulder strap slipped. Anyhow, quick adjustments were necessary. The audience gasped. After a time all was forgiven the singer, she sang so well.

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The revue is full of "pep." The dancing is gingery, the music swinging, the humor fresh, the scenery spectacular, the costumes scanty but interesting (what there is of them) and the principals are headed by

Also, there is notes—oodles of it, volleys of it, bombardments of it. Noise! Noise! Noise! Even if you did not approciate the fun—which is unthinkable—the drums and cymbols and trombones would keep you awake.

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Plays That Remain

HOLLIS STREET THEATRE—There is a Princess note in the last evening when Henry Miller and Ruth Chatterton began their second week in the all-star cast of "Daddy Long-Legs," which has been given in this city after its long engagement in New York.

PLYMOUTH THEATRE—Julia Arthur began the final fortnight of her engagement in "The Eternal Magdalene" yesterday afternoon. The play and players both unusual interest and support.

PARK SQUARE THEATRE—"Rolling Stones" entered upon its second week last night to the full delight of a crowded house. Written expressly by Edgar Selwyn appeals to the most pleasurable instinct of all people, the love of adventure.

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RUTH ST. DENIS SHOWS NEW DANCES

RUTH ST. DENIS appeared at Keith's Theatre yesterday as the leading feature. The dancer has not been seen here for several seasons. Her present repertoire consists of three new dances, "The Spirit of the Sea," "The Peacock Dance" and "Ancient Egypt," a ballet of the Tambours.

In the first dance Miss St. Denis is a striking costume of trailing blue and green, with flowing hair, over the ebb and flow of surging waters against a realistic background of rippling waves.

"The Peacock Dance," based on a legend of India, was inspired by Miss St. Denis' love of peacocks. Nur John, in a former incarnation of a princess of the house of Abbar, was condemned to the life of a peacock through her excessive vanity and love of finery. Though her body lies in the tomb, her spirit inhabits the form of a solitary peacock, who forever haunts the court yard of her burial place.

The dancer's rich costume was gorgeous in coloring. The long shimmering train gave the illusion of a real bird's tail. Her head was crested. With a remarkable display of feminine vanity and love of finery, she counterfeited the bird's strut, its rapid movements, its pride. Members of the dancer's company lent variety to the scene, which was staged with oriental splendor.

In the Egyptian ballet Miss St. Denis and Mr. Shawn were admirable in posture and quaint posturings. Miss Perman in a Japanese dance and Miss Borella in a Dance Tragique were also greatly to be admired.

The surrounding bill was varied. Miss Mabel Berra pleased in songs, both popular and operatic. Felix Adler was droll and entertaining with his monologue and songs. Howard's trained dogs and ponies displayed extraordinary intelligence.

The Chung Wha Quartet, Fritz and Lucy Brach, cellist and violinist; Will H. Armstrong and company in a sketch and "The Passion Play of Washington Square," in which a mother is tricked by a clever ruse into giving her consent to her stage daughter's marriage, completed the bill.

GLOBE THEATRE—Idalene Cotton, supported by Nick Long, that veteran of the American stage, was the headliners yesterday in a protean comedy by Edgar Allen Woolf, called "Her Diamond Heels." Miss Cotton takes four parts in the comedy. Her specialty is an imitation of Bert Williams, with the famous "I Don't Care" done into vivacious and colloquial French. Charles Ferne, Jr., and Ida Ferne, who have won a host of friends for themselves in Boston, gave a bit of musical comedy that was delightfully fetching, and Smith and Kaufman closed their sketch. "A Midnight Occurrence."

The Keystone Trio has an amusing offering, with the burlesque efforts of three men more intent on getting laughs than valuables. On Thursday, when the bill changes, Claude Golding and Clara Keating, the famous Australian singers, come in as Reading Deane and Sibley have a sketch of life behind the scenes, and Moss and Frye, colored comedians, will be seen in a new sketch of their own devising.

TREMONT TEMPLE—This week a particularly interesting program is being presented continuously from 1 to 10:30. "The Heart of Midlothian," a Hepworth London film feature in five parts, heads the bill. The plot of this splendid production is taken from Sir Walter Scott's novel, combines interest throughout, act being displayed in the completion of the dramatic scenario as well as in the perfection of the photography. Mary Pickford in "In the Bishop's Carriage," a Famous Players four-reeler, follows. On Saturday afternoon and evening, in addition to the screen-plays, Arthur Cook Peck will take as his daughter of Holland, the Land of Windmills." On Saturday morning at 11 o'clock Edward Griggs will deliver the first of a series of six lectures on "The Masterpieces of Ibsen."

Motor Notes.

By J. C. KERRISON.

The road conditions of yesterday were such as proved exceedingly difficult for vehicular traffic, whether it be wheel, sled or motor. All seemingly had their difficulties in carrying heavy loads through the streets of Boston. When all is said and done, it has considered that the motor vehicles had somewhat the better of the argument. Truth it is that some of these trucks were somewhat delayed by heavy going, but as a rule they not only proved capable of drawing their own loads, but in many instances proved of valuable assistance in relieving the pressure on horse-drawn vehicles. The motor truck yesterday certainly demonstrated its right to be considered an important factor in transportation affairs of the city.

The net earnings of between $5,000,000 and $6,000,000 are indicated by the latest revision of the figures summarizing the operations of the Maxwell Motor Company. This estimate is based on the revised schedule recently announced in the advancement of the output to 75,000 cars during the fiscal year ending January 31 next.

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According to George N. Jordan, New England representative of the Studebaker Corporation, the working time in the plant at that organization in South Bend, Indiana, will after this month be increased from fifty-five to fifty hours a week, divided in nine hours a day for five days and five hours on Saturday. The rate of wages will be increased from $2.50 per day to $2.75 per day. Seven thousand men and will cost the company $560,000 a year.

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The United States Rubber Company of New York has taken over the Iroquois Rubber Company of New York.

Farrar in First Role Since Her Marriage

New York, Feb. 15.—Geraldine Farrar made her first stage appearance since her recent marriage to Lou-Tellegen, at the Metropolitan Opera House, singing the title role in Puccini's "Tosca." Mme. Farrar, as she is called now, was in good voice and was well received.

"SUIT CASE" THEATRE OPENS

"Stuart Walker's Portmanteau Theatre" came over from New York packed up—not exactly in a dress suit case, but in an express car marked Boston.

It was set up on the platform in Jordan Hall where real professional performers amused two large audiences yesterday.

Not only were the three plays different, but lighting effects succeeded in restoring some of the mystery and romance of the stage which modern strong electric foot and border lights have in a measure dispelled.

The three plays were suited for young minds, although artistic acting, coupled with rich musical voices, resulted in pleasing diversion for both young and old.

"Gammer Gurton's Needle," an old English comedy, came as the last of the series and was sufficient for a whole performance in itself. Quite humorous at first, it developed into good, rollicking fun that reached a climax in the court scene.

The little theatre was originally invented at one of the New York settlement houses, where nothing but a gymnasium had been available.

The other two plays last night were "He Who Pays While the Lentils Boil" and "The Book Agent."

The performances were given under the auspices of the Business Women's Club of Boston.

FENWAY THEATRE—"Souls in Bondage," with Nance O'Neil, is the feature here for the first three days of the present week. Prominent in the supporting cast are Ida Simpson and William Corbett, both capably engaged for this feature. Miss Stanhope plays opposite leads of "Souls," while the youngster, Beadstrong slater. Mr. Corbett does some of the best work of his career, and the last portion of the picture in which he realizes he has not only lost his wife, but his self-respect, Mr. Corbett rises to heights that place him in the front rank of the leading men of today. For the last three days "Hazel Kirke" will be produced for the first time in motion pictures.

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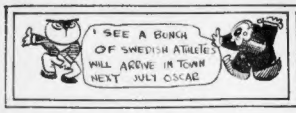

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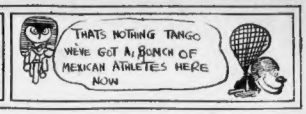
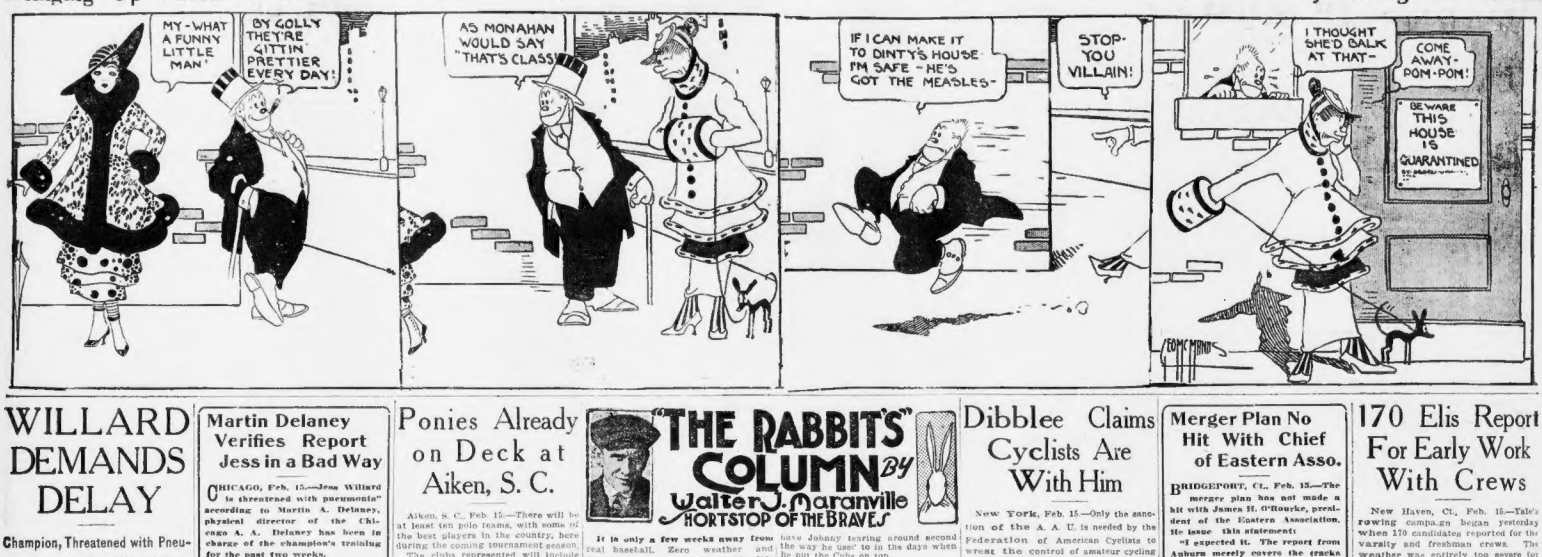


Bringing Up Father

By George McManus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WILLARD DEMANDS DELAY

Champion, Threatened with Pneumonia, Asks Two Weeks' Postponement; Moran Disappointed

New York, Feb. 15.—Tex Rickard, promotor of the Moran-Willard fight, announced shortly after noon today that he had not postponed the date of the fight, and that the fight would take place on March 9, as scheduled, unless Willard's condition is more serious than appears at present.

New York, Feb. 15.—Representatives of Jess Willard and Frank Moran are today conferring with Tex Rickard and his partner, Sam McCracken, with relation to securing a postponement of the proposed bout for the heavyweight title. From Chicago, Willard, whom some say is threatened with pneumonia, has declared that there will be no fight if he doesn't get a two weeks' postponement.

From Saratoga Springs, New York, word comes that Moran regrets the necessity for postponing the bout, but declares that if Willard is sick there can be no fight until such time as he is in condition to enter the ring. As yet neither Rickard nor McCracken has had anything to say regarding the new turn in affairs.

"If the promoters will not grant me a two weeks' postponement," Willard is quoted as saying in Chicago dispatches, "I shall insist that my match with Frank Moran be declared off. I have a very severe cold, my throat is still sore and I am in no condition to train.

"However, if I am given two weeks' more time to make up for the time I have lost from my gymnasium work I will be in excellent condition for my bout with Moran."

At the same time word was received from Chicago that while Willard hadn't actually called a physician as yet, he was still confined to his home and would call one if the suffering did not cease. Close friends of the big fellow have told others that Willard was far from being in shape and is actually a sick man.

Word has come from the White Sulphur Springs Hotel at Saratoga, when Moran has been conditioning for a week or more, tha tthe challenger is more or less disappointed as a result of Willard's illness. When a correspondent reached the camp this morning Moran was skating on Saratoga Lake.

After an hour he returned to shore and at once grasped the correspondent who was a friend of his and frisked about in the deep snow with him for a time. More often than not the correspondent was on Moran's back or else buried in deep banks. At the time the thermometer registered 18 below zero. Moran, after completing his fooling, asked eagerly for details as to the illness of Willard and the danger of the bouts being put off.

"Of course," said Moran, "if Willard is sick he cannot fight and a postponement is a keen disappointment to me. If such a thing does happen I suppose I will have to wait for him as he is the champion. Make one thing certain, and that is that I am ready to meet him at any time he is ready to fight."

Moran then said that with his manager, Ike Morgan, and his sparring partner, Willie Lewis, he would return to New York at once and ascertain the true situation. Should a postponement be decided upon, Moran will leave New York and return to the Springs to complete training.

Just before the announcement was received that Willard was ill and that the fight would either be called off or postponed, Tex Rickard and Sam McCracken had indulged in some figuring. After pouring over several sheets of figures they came to the conclusion that the bout would net them close to $30,000.

They arrived at this conclusion after deciding that the sale of 12,500 seats would make the receipts for the bout $145,000. These seats would sell at prices ranging from $3 to $25. Their expenses they placed at $115,000, thus leaving them $30,000 to split.

Martin Delaney Verifies Report Jess in a Bad Way

CHICAGO, Feb. 15.—Jess Willard is threatened with pneumonia" according to Martin A. Delaney, physical director of the Chicago A. A. Delaney has been in charge of the champion's training for the past two weeks.

"Willard has been suffering from a cold for the past week," said Delaney, but we all hoped he would be able to throw it off. He has taken a turn for the worse, however. We all hope it is not pneumonia, but I am afraid it is. He is a very sick man.

"Even if the cold does not develop into pneumonia, Willard would be unable now to get into proper condition for his fight with Frank Moran in New York on March 8. He is too high in flesh."

N. C. A. SETS DOWN BUNCH IN CHICAGO

New York, Feb. 15.—It is reported that the National Cycling Association has suspended all the riders who competed in the six-day bike race at Chicago, as well as the all amateurs who rode in the preliminary events.

OPERATION ON JOY PROVES A SUCCESS

Hiker Joy, the former Holy Cross football, basketball and track star, is at the Carney Hospital, recovering from an operation for appendicitis, which is reported to have been a complete success.

KING HONUS OVER ATTACK OF GRIPPE

Pittsburgh, Feb. 15.—Hans Wagner, after being confined to his home at Carnegie with grip for the past three weeks, has got around and ready for the southern training trip. The bandy-legged Dutchman is to be banqueted by the Stove League February 22. He will be forty-two years old on that date.

BASKETBALL NEWS—NOTES

MANAGER STEVE O'MEARA of the Copley five would like to hear from all fast junior teams. Although this team has been on the floor only three weeks it has all the earmarks of a comer. Address Manager O'Meara at No. 14 Oregon street, Roxbury.

JERRY McCARTHY of the Brookline All-Stars claims he is unable to hear from the St. Alphonsus five. Jerry is positive his team can smirch the enviable record of the Buff and Blue outfit.

THE only announcement regarding the St. John's, I.-S.t. Alphonsus series Manager Joe Comerford of the latter team will give is that "it is very much up in the air."

"TOOT" BOWLES was given a warm reception in Roxbury Saturday evening when he played against the Buff and Blue team as a member of the Brophy five. Although "Toot" was just filling in, he played a fine all-round game.

THE management of the Marlboro T. D. is ready to uphold its team against prospective championship teams in the State. Its defeat of the Whip City quintette makes the hold on the New England championship all the stronger.

WIN SNOW and his First Corps Cadets team will battle with the St. John Institute team Thursday evening in Institute Hall, East Cambridge.

"BILL" COADY, the well-known authority, intimates that the Shawmut-St. John's series will be one of the best in years.

JOE LYNCH is putting up a fine game for Frank Hamren's junior Buff and Blue team.

Ponies Already on Deck at Aiken, S. C.

Aiken, S. C., Feb. 15.—There will be at least ten polo teams, with some of the best players in the country, here during the coming tournament season.

The clubs represented will include Piping Rock, Philadelphia Country, Bryn Mawr, Devon, Myopia, Coopers-town, Point Judith and Onwentsia. Clubs from Dayton, Cincinnati and Cleveland, O., and Greensburg, Pa., are expected, and there will be two army teams.

The last of the big strings of ponies arrived when the mounts of Frederick H. Prince and Frederick H. Prince, Jr., came in from Wenham, Mass., and those of Charles A. Munn and John R. Fell arrived from Bryn Mawr.

Other stables represented in the unprecedented number of ponies here include those of F. Ambrose Clark, F. Skiddy von Stade of New York, Robert E. Strawbridge, Alexander Brown, Paul Dernelin Mills, A. J. Drexel Paul, Philip S. P. Randolph of Philadelphia, Marshall Field, 3d, and Frederick McLaughlin, highest golf player in the West, both of Chicago; H. Y. Sage of Albany, N. Y.; Walter L. Goodwin of Hartford, Ct., and Harry Payne Whitney, whose mounts will be used in March and April tournaments by Larry Waterbury and Monte Waterbury.

There are several professional stables. Milton McKay recently arrived from Wyoming with eighteen ponies, and F. B. Post has forty odd ponies at his training stables here. The Winter schedule includes:

Third week in February—Round robin tournament and two 60-60 handicap matchs of the Aiken Polo Club.

Fourth week in February—High goal tournament of the Pine Tree Polo Club.

First two weeks in March—Annual tournament, horse show and gymkhana of the Aiken Polo Club.

Last two weeks in March—Annual tournament and races of the Aiken Polo Club.

First week in April—High goal tournament and gymkhana of the Aiken Polo Club; low goal tournament of the Pine Tree Club.

WHITTEMORE IS SECOND.

Pinehurst, N. C., Feb. 15.—P. W. Whittemore, of Brookline, shooting from scratch in the handicap shoot, landed second to R. F. Willis, Atlanta, Ga. Whittemore scored 73 breaks in a high wind.

BOWLING FACTS AND COMMENT

CHAMPION ARCHIE WALSH had his taw taken by Paul Poehler in their special match at Quincy last night. Tied at 955 at the end of the eighth string, Poehler won out, 1,112-1,101.

MYSTIC VALLEY LEAGUE fans are excited over the match tonight between Towanda and Melrose. Upon its result hangs the championship.

TOWANDA and Melrose go to the firing line in a tie for first place. It is seldom this state of affairs exists so late in the season, so it is only natural that the fans should be showing so much interest in the encounter.

THERE is little to choose from between the two teams. The latest figures show that the Woburn outfit has toppled over five more pins than Melrose. Such a closeness is little short of remarkable.

PAUL POEHLER will meet Carl Linberg and Charley Pagle in a ten-string match tonight at the Regal Alleys, Roslindale. It will be "Speedier Night" and the followers of the thin-pin sport in that section have arranged a lively reception for the pride of the former New England champion.

THE Blowers should make things interesting for the Adams Square Peggers from now on. In his last match aggregation hit 1,492, a very presentable score, especially when it is considered it had to get along with a "dummy."

MANAGER CASHELIN of the Pleasant A. A., claims that his team did not lose to the Welters last Wednesday night. He further states the match ended in a tie and arrangements were made to roll it off a week from tomorrow night. The roll-off last week was to determine which team was to pay for the night's entertainment.

"THE RABBITS" COLUMN BY Walter J. Maranville SHORTSTOP OF THE BRAVES

It is only a few weeks away from real baseball. Zero weather and drifting snow mean little in the life of a ball player. Down in the Southland there is the kind of temperature we have during June in Boston. Sunday papers gave you an idea of how close Summer is. Those bathing pictures from Florida prove attractive as you plow through the snow.

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The Braves will probably look a whole lot stronger on paper, at least, before the boys hit the trial for Miami. Much may be accomplished in the way of strengthening in two weeks' time.

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The Red Sox get a later start by almost three weeks, if you figure their training from the time the entire squad meets at Hot Springs. Manager Carrigan's determination to have a short trip is but following the announcement made several months ago by about every club, but now forgotten by many.

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Reports from the home of Joe Wood indicate that the big right-hander really doesn't know whether his arm is right or not. This is rather a problem for the player and management. I have seen it stated that Joe has been informed not to report unless his arm is ready for work. However, I am sure Wood will be on hand for a work-out. Manager Carrigan would give a great deal if he could be assured that "Smoky Joe" would come through this season. Bill has a fine staff as it is, but with Wood's added strength the pitching department of the World's Champions would be a corker.

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Where the Braves are weak the Giants appear strongest—in the catching department. Then you have to figure the Phillies, and do not overlook Brooklyn or the Cubs. Yes, the season's race will be a hustle from the start to the finish.

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This week will be a rather busy one for Ivy Olson, Fred Mitchell and Dick Rudolph. Fred gets busy with the preliminary work-out at Harvard, and Dick will get a line on what he has to work with at Williams. Bill Sweeney will open be in the harness as a coach out at Boston College.

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President Lannin agrees with his manager that harmony in any organization spells strength—the path to success. He believes his worries are over so far as the Red Sox are concerned, and feels that his team stands a very good chance to repeat.

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Former President James E. Gaffney probably meant what he said about having given up any idea of returning to baseball, still I would not be surprised if at some future time, the opportunity presented. But he be found back in the game again. However the fans of Boston and New England can rest assured that he will be "pulling hard" for his former city.

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Chief Bender will wear a Philadelphia uniform, but in the older league. He is likely to return to form, and should this prove true, he will be a big help to Pat Moran's bunch of league champions.

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Charlie Herzog has his usual confidence working overtime. He is quite positive his Reds will win the flag. I hesitate to express what I think would occur in Garry Herrmann's little world should this prove true. However, all things are possible in baseball; for example see—Philadelphia Nationals, league champions.

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Talent in the direction of Yale's football appears to be of the best. Also there is considerable scouting for iron material at New Haven. Now get busy trying to figure the relative merits of Harvard minus Haughton and Yale plus Jones, Sweeney, Camp and Kilpatrick.

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Captain Johnny Evers, I am told, looks to be in the very best possible physical condition. This is in itself great news for the boys on the club. Still there is a better item in connection with Johnny. He appears to have forgotten all that worried him last season; is strong for the new owners and declares he should have his best year. I hope he is a true prophet. It will be mighty fine to have Johnny tearing around second the way he used to in the days when he put the Cubs on top.

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There is one thing which may be said of Manager Stallings. He is all business. I doubt if there is a day in the year on which he fails to figure something in baseball. This constant and untiring application has made him the good manager he is. George cares little for the time light and gets as far away from it as possible every time. He didn't remain for the anniversary dinner of the league, preferring to let the responsibility of representation there fall upon the broad shoulders of President P. D. Haughton.

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Fred Mitchell's value as a coach at Harvard rests upon his general all-around knowledge of the game and his experience in the major sport. Added to this, or rather forming a large portion of it, is the fact that he was first a fine pitcher and later in his career one of the best of catchers. There are few things that can put anything over on him. He is quite remarkable in calling plays and is also very resourceful in defensive tactics.

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Club owners have about decided to demand that their players be in shape. High salaries look small when the men drawing them are delivering the goods, but the big contract is indeed a tremendous drag when the man cannot come across. The competition in the big leagues will be very keen this season, and each club needs all the power it can get from each and every man on its squad. It is only reasonable that owners should make this demand.

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Joe Wood will undoubtedly appear at the Majestic in Hot Springs. The prospect of a repeat will cause every member of the team to hustle to the limit. If Joe can pitch ball there isn't a man on the champions' pitching staff that has anything on him as a winner. His condition will be watched expectantly by players and fans throughout the big circuit.

SCHOOLBOYS BADE BEAT IT FROM ARENA

Yesterday's hockey game between Cambridge Latin and Somerville High goes down as "no contest," as at the end of the second half, with the tally a tie at 1-1, Manager Lougee of the Arena ordered the schoolboys off the ice. The members of both sevens, as well as their supporters, are loud in denouncing Lougee for his action, which they claim was entirely uncalled for. Mills and Wilson were the tally-getters for their respective teams.

QUIMET HAS ROUGH EVENING ON COURT

Francis Ouimet, the famous golfer, made his debut as a basketball player last night at Union Hall, Brookline. He played right guard for Chestnut Hill A. A. in its game with the Lincoln Club five, but had his troubles as long as he stayed in the contest, as the opposition was in a scoring mood and made connections by the lofty score of 32-5.

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Dibblee Claims Cyclists Are With Him

New York, Feb. 15.—Only the sanction of the A. A. U. is needed by the Federation of American Cyclists to wrest the control of amateur cycling from the National Cycling Association, according to Harold Dibblee, president of the new bicycle association. Dibblee says that practically all of the flat floor riders have agreed to stand by him in his fight against the N. C. A., and only the possibility of causing friction will the A. A. U. prevents him from accepting their support.

The A. A. U. is at present allied with the N. C. A., and therefore cannot recognize Dibblee's organization.

Merger Plan No Hit With Chief of Eastern Asso.

BRIDGEPORT, Ct., Feb. 15.—The merger plan has not made a hit with James H. O'Rourke, president of the Eastern Association. He issue this statement:

"I expected it. The report from Auburn merely covers the tracks of the merger men. The ruling ignores the principles of law which are entirely in our favor; it ignores the laws and constitution of organized baseball and is based on mere statements. There is no justification for the decision. I shall consult with the directors of the Eastern Association.

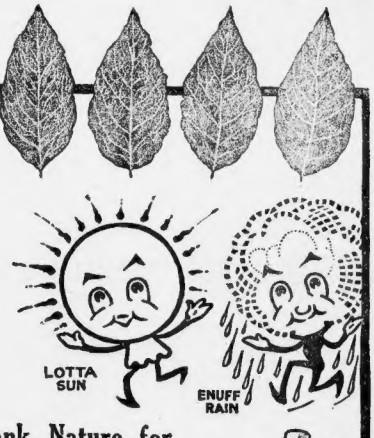
"We have the choice of an appeal to the national board, the National Commission or to the law courts. It is up to the directors of the Eastern Association."

170 Elis Report For Early Work With Crews

New Haven, Ct., Feb. 15.—Yale's rowing campaign began yesterday when 170 candidates reported for the varsity and freshman crews. The weather was entirely too severe for work in the open harbor. Instead the squad was kept at work in the gym and at the Addes boathouse, working on the rowing machines in ten-minute shifts.

Captain Seth Low, 2d, directed the work, assisted by Charles D. Wiman who rowed No. 7 on the varsity eight last year, and M. A. Abbott of Groton. Low will be in charge until the arrival of Head Coach Guy Nickalls who is expected to dock in New York from England the latter part of this week.

Captain Low gave it out that crew prospects are bright.



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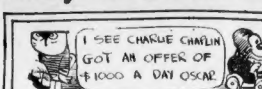

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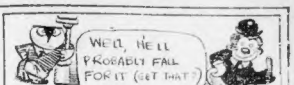

LANNIN WARNS STARS

President Lannin Says They Need Not Report at Hot Springs Unless They Are Signed.

By HERMAN NICKERSON.

It is evident that President J. J. Lannin meang to force the hand of his two celebrated hold-outs, Tris Speaker and Joe Wood. Recently letters were sent to these players, in which it was set forth that the club had made a rule that no player need report at the training camp at Hot Springs unless his signed contract had been received at club headquarters.

As Speaker and Wood are the only men on the list unsigned, this edict cannot but be considered as aimed at them. There are, however, extenuating circumstances which may make this notification null and void.

CONTRACTS EXPIRED.

It will be remembered that the owner of the World's Champions sent contracts to his men which have a time limit for signing. Those sent to Speaker and Wood, of course, expired some time ago. Under the interpretation of the time limit clause, no contract is now being considered by the club and the players, for it was understood that the contract bearing the sum announced as final at the time of the sending of the document became void if not returned signed upon a certain date.

Difficulty arises in figuring out the true situation as regards Speaker. Here is a player who had his salary cut, had a contract sent him with a time limit clause, and who has not returned it signed.

Under the statement of President Lannin unless Speaker signs a contract which doesn't exist, he need not come to Hot Springs. On top of this comes the statement that Mr. Lannin does not expect any trouble with Speaker.

Just how it will work out is a puzzle. But here is a guess. In sending letters to ball players unsigned the office force sent letters to Speaker and Wood. Then went with the batch and were really not intended to mean anything. It is very unlikely that President Lannin would refuse to talk with Speaker should he arrive at the Majestic Hot Springs. In fact, it is my opinion that the owner of the World Champs expects to find Speaker on hand, and is confident that whatever little difficulty may exist at this moment will be removed to the satisfaction of all persons concerned. So much for that letter.

UP TO LANNIN.

In connection with Joe Wood's case it is different. Joe frankly states that the question of contract is "up to Mr. Lannin." The owner of the club has served notice on Wood, that unless his arm is right it will be useless for him to report. This would seem to indicate a complete understanding.

Wood recently remarked that he had been resting his arm upon the advice of a physician and really couldn't tell whether his pitching arm was in shape or not.

Wood will probably report at the camp unsigned, endeavor to prove that his arm is right, and if he does will be signed, for no club could afford to let a twirler of Wood's ability when right slip through its hands. If Wood's try at coming back fails then he will be placed upon the reserve list of the Red Sox, and also true should he fail to come to terms with the club.

LANNIN OFF FOR GOTHAM.

Letters telling players to send in signed contracts before reporting for training were issued to members of the Braves with great success in '13. Two players reached camp unsigned, but placed their signatures to the paper before they had been in camp six hours.

Boston expects to see Tris Speaker playing as hard as ever for the Red Sox and trusts that Joe Wood can be numbered among the "come backs."

President J. J. Lannin leaves tomorrow for New York to be on hand for the meeting of the American League held there February 17.

BOXING BRIEFS and GOSSIP

BUSINESS at the B. M. A. A.'s Friday night shows at Hibernian Hall, Roxbury, has been little short of phenomenal for the four or five weeks; in fact, the S. R. O. sign has been on display week in and week out without a skip.

HENCE, it would appear foolish if Boston's newest fistic organization went out of business. In reference to the report that the B. M. A. A. was to roll over and play dead, Treasurer Bennett today made the following announcement to the AMERICAN:

"I WISH to emphatically deny the report the club is to discontinue. We were never in better shape than we are right now, and we will continue operating every Friday night.

"PERISH the thought that we intend going out of business. Our membership roll is weekly growing in leaps and bounds; in fact, our only worry is handling the members."

FRIDAY night's main number will be furnished by Frankie Mack, the speedy Beachmont lightweight, and Tommy O'Keefe, the tidy Philadelphia 135-pounder. Mack put it over Johnny (Kid) Lustig in his last start. As for O'Keefe, he has boxed most of the good ones and is generally rated as a mighty skilled little workman.

AL DELMONT, training hard, so as to get back on high and confident he will soon be cherry ripe, is out with a challenge to all the feather-weights, Tommy Flanagan preferred.

NEW ORLEANS boxing critics, with barely an exception, give Pete Herman full credit for having outstepped and outfought "Kid" Williams in their title battle last week.

SPORTING EDITOR HAMILTON of the Item is a particularly shrewd boxing writer. He says that Herman fairly fought Williams off his feet from the fourth round on to the twentieth, and that Billy Boxing, sporting editor of the Philadelphia Public Ledger, pulled a bogus award when he called the set-to a draw.

STATES Hamilton—Herman did the harder and cleaner hitting, and no less than three times had Williams staggering and literally reeling around from the force of blows which would have stopped the average fighter, while Herman himself was never in physical distress."

THE other New Orleans sharps had it like comment to make on the bout. Herman plans hitting out for the East right away, and the Crescent City bunch send word that when he meets Johnny Ertle to have a bet on Pete.

BY the way, New Bedford gets the Ertle-Shubert bout, as the AMERICAN prophesied. They are to square off in that city February 22. 'Tis reported that each side is up with a $250 forfeit and that the 116 pounds ringside is the notch agreed upon.

FOR Ertle the weight is a pipe. However, Shubert must work hard to get down to that figure and be his strongest.

NOTHING doing at the Hippodrome tonight. Curses!

SCHOOLMATES TO HONOR JANVRIN

Harold Janvrin, Bill Carrigan's choice young utility man, is to be tendered a reception by fellow-graduates of English High in Roughan's Hall, Charlestown, tomorrow night. "Jan-ny" has ever been popular with his former schoolmates, and now, as he is about to go away, they are going to honor him.

Representative Brogna, another English High graduate, will make a next speech and then present Janvrin with a bronze statue of Mercury, thirty-four inches high. This trophy has been secured by popular subscription of the graduates.

Other guests of the evening will be "Ham" Connolly, the Roxbury boy who was with Clark Griffith last season, and Bill Sweeney, "Policy Bill," who will coach Boston College baseball this season. Janvrin leaves Thursday for Bill Carrigan's camp in Maine to spend his time hunting until the day arrives for his departure for Hot Springs.

LEWIS TO BOX IN WEST.

St. Louis, Feb. 15.—Harry Trendall, the St. Louis welterweight, is getting himself in shape for his eight-round bout with Ted (Kid) Lewis at the Coliseum, February 24.

BEALS BECKER DROPPED.

Philadelphia, Feb. 15.—Outfielder Beals Becker has been unconditionally released by Manager Moran of the Phillies.

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By TAD

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PHAIR VIEWS ON SPORTS

MASQUERADE.

"You are masked, Father William," the young man cried;
"You are wearing a tent on your mush."
"Without that there mask," Father William replied,
"I never could draw in the cash."

"Before I was masked a tubercular flea
Could have thrown me and crippled my frame,
But now all the wrestlers are flopping for me—
"It's a way that they have in the game."

AUTUMN.

Amateur, Amateur, where have you been?
"Out in the bushes to gather the fin."

SPRING.

Amateur, Amateur, where will you go?
"Back in the bushes to get some more dough."

Comparing Lee Magee and Ty Cobb, George Stallings says: "In the first place he looks like Ty." That is sufficient to make a great ball player out of any man. We once knew a barber who looked like Abraham Lincoln.

Hamlet was soliloquizing beside the old mill.

"To fill or not to fall," he said.
Presently the ghost appeared.
"I might as well fall," said Hamlet.
"Everybody is falling for Masked Marvels these days."

Organized baseball has done everything possible for Roger Bresnahan. Having shoved him overboard, they threw him an anchor.

It is hard to play another man's game and win. Many a time we have seen faro dealers paid off for their night's work. They took the money home, did they not? Sure, they did not. They walked right over to the crap table and kicked in their wages.

It will not take Packey McFarland six minutes to count his winnings on the six-day race, but it will take him six days to get over it.

There are those who will pay $25 and more to see Willard and Moran in the set of flopping around for a space of ten rounds or less. And yet we hear complaints that there is not enough money in circulation.

TEN-CLUB LEAGUE NAMED

New England Bodies Form Merger and Pick Compact Circuit—Zeller Allowed $3,500.

N. England's New Baseball Circuit

FIVE New England League cities and five cities from the defunct Eastern Association got to make up New England's new baseball circuit.

Here's the lineup of the new body:

Bridgeport, Ct.	New Haven, Ct.
Hartford, Ct.	New London, Ct.
Lawrence	Portland, Me.
Lowell	Springfield,
Lynn	Worcester

AUBURN, N. Y., Feb. 15.—There will be a ten-club minor league circuit in New England this year, made up of five teams from the 1915 New England League and five from the 1914 Eastern Association.

John H. Farrell, chairman of the committee which has been considering the proposed merger, handed down a ruling last night which approves the merger plan.

All the magnates in the two old leagues are bound by the decision of this committee, which included Ed G. Barrow, president of the International League, and Tim Murnane, former president of the New England League, in addition to Farrell.

The new league will be made up of the following cities: Lowell, Lawrence, Lynn, Worcester and Portland, Me., from the New England League, and Bridgeport, New Haven, New London, Hartford and Springfield from the defunct Eastern Association.

"The committee is free to say that it finds there is a public demand for this merger," said the report.

The committee stated that in addition to finding a great public desire for this merger, it also found that four of the six original clubs in the Eastern Association favored it and that a majority of the New England magnates also approved it.

36 Youths Enter Boxing Prelims at Harvard

All four ends of the country will be represented in the prelims of the Harvard boxing tournament, which will be held in the Hemenway gymnasium tomorrow afternoon. Thirty-six men have already weighed in.

Oran Kirkpatrick, 194 pounder, will represent Texas in the heavyweight class, and his bout with Johnny Digelow, 188 pounds, will be held over for the finals, as they are the only two entrants in the class. Wallace Campbell and Gregg Jones are Californians, while Elmer Hagler and A. J. Aldis hail from Illinois.

There is a big list of local entries, Hurley Bond, former Everett High football captain, is to battle in the light heavyweight class. One of his rivals is Al Weatherhead, the wrestling captain, whose weight has dropped from 170 to 165 pounds in the past month.

Weatherhead is the only man entered in two divisions, being a candidate for middleweight honors also. Al Delmont and Jimmie Walsh, the two featherweight professionals, will referee the preliminary events. The entrants follow:

115-pound class—C. S. Stillinger, M. J. Meyer, E. F. Hagler.
125-pound class—E. E. Bates, A. R. Howe, L. H. Bevier, S. Kirchen, C. P. Wallace, R. Hooke.
135-pound class—J. R. Campbell, W. J. Cummings, J. J. Caffrey, A. S. Ellenberger, H. L. Talbott, W. Brodeur.
145-pound class—H. H. Carpenter, W. Campbell, D. S. Cahill, H. Wharton, A. D. Kebo, L. Swank, L. P. Hammett.
158-pound class—A. J. Weatherhead, W. Whitney, J. S. Hall, C. P. Jones, M. Bornstein, R. Noble, W. Cowley, G. Jones, A. A. Hill, C. Brownell.
175-pound class—R. H. Bond, P. H. Hartley, A. J. Weatherhead.
Heavyweight class—J. L. Bigelow, O. G. Kirkpatrick.

FRANKIE MACK TOO FAST FOR WILLIAMS

New Haven, Ct., Feb. 15.— Frankie Mack of Beachmont gave Harry Williams of New Haven a boxing lesson last night at the International A. C. in a fast ten-round bout before one of the biggest crowds that ever witnessed a boxing contest in this city. Mack was too fast for the New Haven battler and showered him with left jabs and right crosses.

FRED WELSH SIGNS TO FIGHT FOR TITLE

New Orleans, La., Feb. 15.—Lightweight Champion Freddie Welsh has signed to meet the winner of the Mandot-Dundee bout, set for February 21, on March 14. It will be a twenty-round affair for the title. Welsh will receive a guarantee of $13,000 as his end, it is reported. Dominick Torrioch will stage the battle.

BRITTONS CLAIM WILL NOT SELL OUT

St. Louis, Feb. 15.—Mr. and Mrs. Schuyler P. Britton, owners of the Cardinals, deny that any deal is on for the sale of the club, or that they intend to get out of baseball.

RING RESULTS

New Bedford, Feb. 15.—Jimmy Greenwood handed Young Dyson his quietus in the second round of his ranked 15-round bout. Billy Allen, the Panama heavyweight, stopped Jack Brooks in the third round. Though thirty-seven rounds of boxing were carded, only five were seen, as plentiful were the kayos.

Philadelphia, Feb. 15.—Johnny Ertle of St. Paul decisively defeated Joe Tuber in their six-round bout at the Olympia A. A. Tuber only survived the distance through stalling throughout.

Memphis, Tenn., Feb. 15.—Jack Dillon of Indianapolis gave Vic Hanson a terrific beating in their eight-round bout. Hanson was down half the time and only managed to stay the limit by holding on.

London, Feb. 15.—Jimmy Wilde won the flyweight championship of England by knocking out Young Symonds of Plymouth in the twelfth round. Wilde plans making an American tour under the management of Al Lippe, the New York manager.

Bowling League Matches Tonight

GREATER BOSTON — Congress at Dowdoin Square: Regal at Herrick's; Webster at Cambridge Loop; Court Street at Eighteen-square.
AMATEUR PIN—Oxford at Winsor.
MYSTIC VALLEY—Melrose at Tonawanda.
BANK & TRUST—New Boston Alleys.
COMMERCIAL—New Boston Alleys.
CLAN McGREGOR—Colisemn Alleys, Quincy.
TYPEWRITERS—Summer Street Alleys.
MURRAY HOUSE — Murray Alleys.
MAIL CLERKS—Loop Alleys.
FORD MOTOR—Arch Street Alleys.
WRIGHT & DITSON—Elite Alleys.
N. Y., N. H. & H.—Dewey Square Alleys.
BOSTON CONSOLIDATED GAS—Arch Street Alleys.
JOHN HANCOCK GENTLEMEN'S Littlefield Alleys.
DURANT GYM—New Boston Alleys.
SOUTH TERMINAL LADIES'—Summer Street Alleys.
F. C. A.—Littlefield's Alleys.
BOSTON ELEVATED—Loop Alleys.
CATHOLIC UNION — Catholic Union Alleys.
CUSTOM HOUSE—Arch Street Alleys.
PULLMAN B. & A.—Littlefield's Alleys.
NATIONAL TOOL AND MACHINE—Dewey Square Alleys.
FOX FULTZ CO—Adams Square Alleys.
POSTOFFICE—Loop Alleys.
ROYAL ARCANUM—North Station Alleys.

O'KEEFE AND MACK TO MEET AT B. M. A. A.

Tommy O'Keefe, the well-known Philadelphia lightweight, who drew with Matty Baldwin in twelve rounds at the Arena, when the New England boy was stepping his fastest, upon the occasion of his last Boston appearance, goes on with Frankie Mack of Beachmont in the windup event on Friday night's card at the B. M. A. A., Hibernian Hall, Roxbury. It smacks of a speedy bout, as both boys are aggressive workmen and fast performers generally.

Eddie Flynn of Peabody and "Cy" Goodwin of the South End hook up in the semi-final. The fur should fly and doubtless "Cy" will have his hands full, as Flynn was never going better than right now. The six-rounders will be furnished by "Kid" Lee of Chelsea and Young O'Neill of Lynn and Andy Morrisey of Salem and Charley Sheppard of New York.

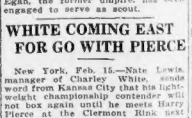
DAVE SHEAN SIGNS TO STAY WITH GRAYS

Providence, Feb. 15.—Owner Draper of the Grays and Dave Shean have adjusted their differences on the salary question and the Boston boy will again pilot the Providence international League club. Jack Egan, the former umpire, has been engaged to serve as scout.

WHITE COMING EAST FOR GO WITH PIERCE

New York, Feb. 15.—Nate Lewis, manager of Charley White, sends word from Kansas City that his lightweight championship contender will not be seen again until he meets Harry Pierce at the Clermont Rink next Thursday night.

QUALITY From End to End



TEN CENT CIGAR

Mitchell Meets His Clan and Makes Talk

Fred Mitchell, former scout and coach of the Braves, has made a highly triumphal entry into Harvard baseball. He received the official O. K. in the Union last night, when he was introduced to forty candidates for the varsity nine.

Mitchell dwelt long and lovingly on the proper spirit, the inate grit and the seasonable amount of "pep" necessary to bring home baseball laurels.

"Let everybody who knows what a baseball glove is, or has ever seen a bat, come out for the team," the new coach said. "Every one has an equal opportunity for a place on the nine. It's up to you fellows."

Other speakers were Barrett Wendell, Jr., a member of the baseball committee; Captain "Heinie" Nash and Fred W. Moore, graduate manager of Harvard athletics.

Practice for the varsity battery will start tomorrow afternoon in the cage. The other candidates will not be asked to report for ten days or two weeks. The freshmen are not expected to present themselves before another fortnight.

MAHAN NOT SIGNED, SAY U. OF C. RULERS

Berkeley, Cal., Feb. 15.—Graduate Athletic Manager John A. Stroud of the University of California denies that Eddie Mahan, the Harvard football star, has been engaged to coach the backfield candidates next Fall. Mahan is understood to have given out the information in Boston he had been signed to a contract and would come to Berkeley early next Fall. Stroud is out with an emphatic denial that such is the case.

PIEPER TO REMAIN IN CHARGE OF LYNN

Lynn, Feb. 15.—Louis F. Pieper is to remain as Lynn's manager, the report that he is going to Worcester having drawn a prompt denial from the owners of the local club. Pieper claims he has plenty of good talent in sight and is hopeful of having a winner.

STARTING TROUBLE FOR RACING AT N. O.

New Orleans, La., Feb. 15. — At a meeting of clergymen it was decided to institute impeachment proceedings against District-Attorney Chandler C. Luzenberg and Mayor Behrman for alleged non-enforcement of the law forbidding racetrack gambling.

COLUMBUS GETS GEORGE.

Columbus, O., Feb. 15.—"Lefty" George, who wound up the 1915 season with the Reds, has signed with Columbus.

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BENNY LEONARD'S WALLOP DISPUTED

New York, Feb. 15.—Shamus O'Brien, who fought Benny Leonard in Syracuse last week, walked right up before the boxing commission and declared that Benny slipped something over in that scrap. Shamus swore by the eternal that Benny had a few adhesive plasters beneath the soft bandages which gave his hands the punching kick of horseshoes.

O'Brien further contended that he forced Leonard to strip his hands of these plaster casts. With these off Benny was outpointed and floored by Shamus, so Shamus asserts.

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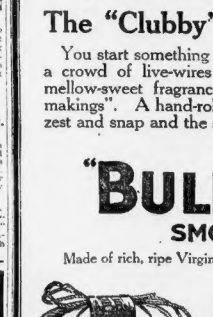

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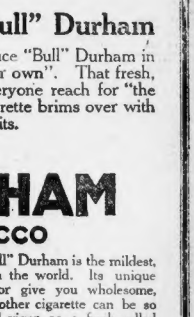

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If Opportunity Knocks Once on Every Man's Door, She Must Have Bruised Knuckles

The American's Magazine and Fiction Page

Love and the Pay Envelope

What the Problem of Trying to Live on Little May Mean to a Young Couple

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX.

EACH day there come to me numerous letters, which read something like this:

"I love him so much that I can not do without him. He is earning $15 a week and has good prospects. Do you think we dare risk marriage?"

It is hard not to be a little cynical about the young woman who tells you in one line that she can not live without her beloved, and who in the next wonders if she can risk marrying him on his present salary.

An absolutely big and fearless love would probably plunge a girl into marriage on a very tiny amount of money, and it would teach her wonderful ways and means for making that money do with a royal unselfishness and lack of mercenary feeling.

But it is just as well for the world that love isn't an overwhelming force and that most of us do plan sanely and sensibly to consider the matter from a point of view that is not mercenary but only just practical.

First of all, let us brush aside sentiment. In at least 90 per cent. of love affairs the individuals concerned can compare their feelings if they have to and time will reconcile them to what once looked like future happiness and broken hearts.

With the other 10 per cent. of the cases we need not deal; the force of their feelings will swing them on into settling the matter for themselves. And however much I admire the magnificence of feeling that overcomes any obstacles I must also recognize the clear sanity of the controlled feeling that considers the future.

THE ONE THING NEEDED

No woman has the right to marry a poor man unless she is convinced of several things.

First of all, she must love him enough so that cheerfully and unconcernedly she will "do without" for his sake. She must know that she will be willing to wear a year before last's made-over dress when other women are buying week after week's pictorial fashions.

She must be perfectly reconciled to menus of hash stew and sausage or perhaps to bread without butter and tea ungarnished by even sugar. No sacrifice of food or comfort or even of well-being must look too big.

She must know that she is going to be cheerful if her hands are red and swollen from dishwashing and her eyes a little tired from mending torn clothes.

She must be sure that when John comes home tired from his day's work she can meet him with good cheer and not with a whimpering weariness of a woman whose day's occupation has netted her a backache and swollen feet because her husband's daily occupation has netted him only two dollars.

When a woman has passed her own mental examination as to her fitness to be the wife of a poor man, she must turn to a consideration of the poor man. Is he to be respected? Is he a worker, a man of self control, good habits and ability, a man who will always do his best to provide for his family and who will not console himself for his inability to get ahead by sliding backward?

Will he be patient and kind and understanding when she is tired? Will he work with determination that will have to carry him ahead? Will he remain kind and tender and loving when the woman who has sacrificed so much for his sake has to sacrifice youth and beauty too?

Is he a strong enough character so that his children will have a worthy heritage? Has his love lasting qualities? Is he going to be a good partner as well as desirable mate?

THE SAFE WAY

When a woman makes up her mind that the poor man she loves is a worker and a hustler, and that she herself is a cheerful manager, she is safe to go ahead and marry him. Love and the pay envelope have to be balanced on some other personal scales. On the love side there are emotion and sympathy and feeling and desire and congeniality, and on the pay envelope side there are facts and cheerfulness and courage and loyalty to throw into the scale.

And whether you marry a poor man or not, my dear girl, do not look not at all on the general advice I give you, or even on such practical consideration as whether he is earning twelve, fifteen or twenty dollars a week, but entirely on what you can do with that sum.

If poverty is going to make you tear the down the house of your life and happiness and destroy all that is best in your nature, you had better run away from him. Don't marry your poor man if in some corner of consciousness there is a lurking fear that a year from now you will hate each other.

Cast up accounts—love and the pay envelope. How did they balance?

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Selfish Pride

Allen: "I gave Godfrey a beautiful necktie of my own making for a birthday present." Miller: "Was he pleased?" Allen: "Oh, yes; he said its beauty shall be for no other eyes than his own. Wasn't that lovely of him?"

Mirage!

(HANDS ACROSS THE CONTINENT)

By NELL BRINKLEY

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THE grim, old, gray Atlantic, with his snow-maned sea-horses riding high and fast, his gray hair glittering with ice, is visioning his inamorata, the South Pacific Sea, where she lies blue and dreaming up into the sky, shimmering in the sun, around the land of Southern California! The gray god, hard gripped in the frozen strife he loves, longs with a soft heart while he glowers for the blue Maid who spreads her lustrous silk and lace beyond the sand and rocks of the lovely coast two thousand miles away.

Here the wind cries and cuts; the great flakes float out of a battleship gray sky, there are no leaves in the woods—the branches rattle in their casing of ice like mournful bones; the Sea is great and terrible; horses struggle in sweat and anxiety with the glassy streets; the lone open motors still out look like empty houses with the windows blown out and a few blue ghosts indwelling; little kids are cutting flowery twirls on the country ponds and the girls, all Russian in furs and barbaric colors, are milling round and round the rinks; the real Winter-girl in the hills of the Atlantic States, up to the eyes in "comforts," mittened and booted, is ploughing about on skis and snowshoes and goin' "un-umbuster" down the hills like the litt le chaps.

But out there! Where the silken blue sea rolls in under the moonlight with each far wave alive with the fire of phosphorus, like the gleam of a metal shield, and the girls in thin frocks are dancing out onto the sea-side walks from the ballroom and in again! Ah-h-h! No wonder the Sea of California is the Sea of Boston's Love!

We here, in our fur and woot, straighten up at our play or work, and, through the flying snow, see a mirage—all gold and blue. *Above* we telegram in mackinaw. *There* you are wading the blue water in bathing suit under the sun and a warm sky!

—*NELL BRINKLEY.*

Rolling Stones

Anna Tells Buck She Relies on Him to Take the Honest Course and He Must Find the Way

Novelized from the Play by Edgar Selwyn Now Running at the Park Square Theatre.

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By ANNA LISLE

"WELL meant to—honestly we did. We intended to get just enough money to take us over the border and explain it all to you before I asked you to come with me—but I know now there wasn't any chance of that," he added bitterly. "I've been in all wrong from the start. You give me a lift when I was starving and I wanted to do something that would prove my love for you, but I seem to have made a mess of it, like everything else," he added drearily.

Anna had to fight every tender impulse of her nature. She knew that unless Ryder met his own needs now like a man, her love for him could never hold the respect and dignity a woman must feel for a man if their life together is to be built on a firmer foundation than sand.

"There's only one thing for you to do now," she said, still forcing her voice to sound coldly efficient, and repressing all the notes of tenderness that fairly clamored to make themselves heard. "Mr. Walter has been taken to the station. You must go down and give that money to him."

Buck had been seated in a great arm chair with his bowed head buried in his arms. Suddenly he straightened out to rigid attention. "You mean I must give myself up, Anna?" he asked.

"Tell Mr. Walter what you've told me and throw yourself on his mercy."

"What has Walter to do with it?" asked Buck dejectedly.

"I'm not free to explain that, but it's the one thing for you to do—will you, Buck?"

HE GETS A CHANCE TO REGAIN HER HEART

"I'll do anything you tell me to do, but won't you forgive me?" Buck got to his feet, and as he squared back his shoulders, some of the determination that conscious effort took forced its way to his brain and he felt suddenly as if he were a man and able to meet the need his own rashness had brought upon him. "I can stand anything if you'll just say you forgive me, Anna. Do you think you can find it in your heart to do that?"

"I haven't anything to forgive, Buck—you have to fight this out by yourself, you know—first of all you must see Mr. Walter. Somehow I know you're man enough to meet this thing, and the only thing I'd find unforgivable would be if you disappointed me in that."

"I'll try to make good now, Anna, if it's not too late. Do you suppose you can ever respect me again?"

"Don't ask me now, Buck," cried the girl.

At that moment Norma and Dave came into the room as jauntily as if there were no big personal tragedies to face in all the world.

"Well, are you ready?" cried Dave.

"I'm not going, Dave," returned Ryder. "Anna has convinced me that the only square thing to do is take the money down to the police station and release Mr. Walter."

"Go down to the police station? Not me," quavered Dave.

But he reckoned without the efficient Mr. Dennison, to whom he had so confidingly given his home address; for now the head of the Dennison Detective Agency came into the room with the same air of evil portent he had brought into the Hewitt office.

"What do you want?" cried Dave. "Just a little talk with you," said Mr. Dennison easily.

"We're just leaving," replied Dave, with an air that he took to very nonchalantly.

"Not here just in time then, didn't I? Let's see, your name is Ryder, isn't it, young man? You're his manager? Mine is Dennison—Dennison Detective Agency. Mean anything to you?"

"Not a thing—but I haven't time to talk about it," retorted Buck.

"I'm here to talk with this young man now. Get me? These young ladies are in on it."

"This is Miss Nogge, my fiancee," returned Dave, doing the honors a little overelaborately.

"I saw this young lady at your office this afternoon," said Dennison, turning to Anna, and so Buck was compelled to introduce her, and immediately Dennison demanded that she help him.

"I'm looking for a Mr. Jericho W. Braden," he announced.

"Why?" inquired Anna.

"We met this afternoon," interjected Dave quickly.

"No doubt about it, but you're not Braden."

"What do you mean?"

"Just what I say. You're not Jericho W. Braden."

"Then who am I?" demanded Mr. Fulton.

"I'll find that out in a moment," retored the detective, with an air of omniscience.

"Say, if you think you can come here and insult Mr. Braden like this"—— began Buck indignantly.

Dennison interrupted him.

"Cut out that indignant stuff. It won't get you anything. I'm here to find Mr. Braden, and it's dollars to doughnuts you know where he is. If you're wise you'll come across."

"Certainly, we know where he is. He's right here beside you," insisted Ryder.

Dennison looked at him with a snarling air of uncertainty that Anna felt portended grave evil. "Going to stick to that, are you?" said the detective quietly. "Well, wait a minute." He walked to the door and called. "Step this way, please," and concluded, as a woman, who was a stranger to all of the frightened quartette, entered the room. "Ever see this man before?"

"No," said the stranger firmly. It was Emma Braden, and her coming portended more evil for Fulton and Ryder than it seemed possible could result from that hurried and forced introduction of a month ago when Buck had announced to the indignant Brandigans that their mild-eyed guest was Jericho W. Braden.

THE DETECTIVE MAKES HIS FINAL PLANS

"But you would know Braden if you saw him."

"I ought to know him, seeing I'm his"—— Emma Braden in great indignation, but the detective interrupted her quickly. He was playing this game as he saw fit and in all but progress to let any hysterical woman throw his cards down on the table until he was ready to play them.

So he insisted that all three women step into the next room, and in order to make quite sure that they were safely housed therein Mr. Dennison gallantly escorted them there and closed and locked the door.

"Well?" demanded Buck impatiently, as the wiser pro tem turned to face them with a rather coldly triumphant expression on his face. Dennison dropped his bomb with cruel precision. "That lady is Mrs. Jericho W. Braden," he said.

"Mrs. Braden," demanded Dave, a gamut of uncertainty in his tone.

"You'll admit she ought to know her own husband—come on, boys—I've got it on you and I'll give you one more chance. Come through with the dope or go with me on the charge of murder." Thus Dennison exploded bomb shell number two.

"Murder!" gasped Dave.

"That's ridiculous," said Buck, as quietly as if his world were not reeling about him.

"Is it? Figure it out for yourself," said the detective with an air of quiet competence. "Braden was due here on the twenty-first. On that same night this kid arrives and announces himself as Braden. He has his papers, his trunk—everything; and he claims his inheritance. Takes over his business and goes along with a smoothness that shows he never expected the real Braden to show up. That's a pretty good case all right, my boys."

"Wait a minute," cried Dave. "I'll tell you the whole thing." He was rapidly going to pieces before the implacable fire of logic to which the detective was subjected by him.

"Oh, you're willing to talk now, are you?" snarled the detective.

"Hold on, Dave," broke in Buck quietly.

The detective waved Buck aside and focused his attention on Dave.

"You'll get your chance after he's through, Ryder. Go on boy. You admit you're not Braden."

"Yes," quavered Dave. "My name is Fulton. Dave Fulton."

But Dennison pounced upon him with the quick questioning that had all the force of the fatal "third degree"—"And where's Braden?"

"He's dead," said Dave ingenuously.

Again the insistent Dennison: "You killed him."

Dave fairly staggered and replied with fatal eagerness, "Yes—no—no—he was in that wreck."

"Come on, now," invited the detective, urging this easy witness against himself, "you might as well tell the whole thing. You met up with him before he got here and found out about his money and you two framed it up between you to get hold of it."

To Be Continued Tomorrow.

Anecdotes of the Famous

LORD REDESDALE, whose "Reflections" have recently been published, was at Eton with Swinburne, who was his first cousin.

"What a fragile little creature he seemed," he wrote in a letter which is appended to the privately printed "Life of Swinburne." Edmund Gosse, "as he stood between his father and mother, with his wondering eyes fixed upon me!

"He was strangely tiny. His limbs were small and delicate, and his sloping shoulders looked far too weak too carry his great head, the size of which was exaggerated by the tousled mass of red hair standing almost at right angels to it. His features were small and beautiful, chiselled as dainty as those of some Greek sculptor's masterpiece. His skin was very white, a transparent tinted white, such as one sees in the petals of some roses. His face was the very replica of that of his dear mother, and she was one of the most refined and lovely of women.

"All who knew him must remember the exquisitely soft voice with a rather singing intonation, like that of Russians when they put the music of their slav tongues into the French language. All his mother's brother and sisters had it. He alone, so far as I know, among my cousins reproduced it."

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On one occasion Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman and Taylor, the golf champion, were at Biarritz together. A Scotch relative of Sir Henry earnestly contended that Taylor was of Scotch birth, a claim which Sir Henry was inclined to support. One of the guests then interposed:

"Well, all I know about Taylor is that he is a very nice man; my golf club engaged him to play an exhibition match at a fixed fee. Taylor duly came, but the weather was so wet that no golf could be played; and when we offered him payment he firmly refused, only taking his bare traveling expenses."

Whereupon, Sir Henry turned to his compatriot and said:

"I'm afraid such a fact is quite fatal to our contention."

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One of the Duke of Connaught's best stories is about an Irish valet who came to him and asked him for a fortnight's leave. The man didn't give any reason, and, without inquiring, the Duke let him go. At the end of his time the man came back, and, though the bruises had nearly vanished, it was apparent the man had had two black eyes. His Royal Highness was immediately interested, and a question brought the reply:

"Well, sir, I wanted to have that fight, and I guessed I might get badly marked, but I'm about all right now, sir."

A little more gentle questioning brought to light the fact that the man the valet fought had referred to the Duke as "a feather-bed soldier."

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Mark Twain once, in the course of a speech, talked of his pet aversion, a certain heating science.

"It reminds me," he said, "of the apple cure for drunkenness. In Hannibal, in my boyhood, the apple cure was highly esteemed. I remember once hearing the Hannibal town drunkard expatiate on the apple cure.

"'You believe in it, then, do you, Hank?' a listener asked.

"'Believe in it? How can I help believin' in it?' the drunkard said, excitedly. 'Ain't it cured me eight times?'"

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BARON BEAN

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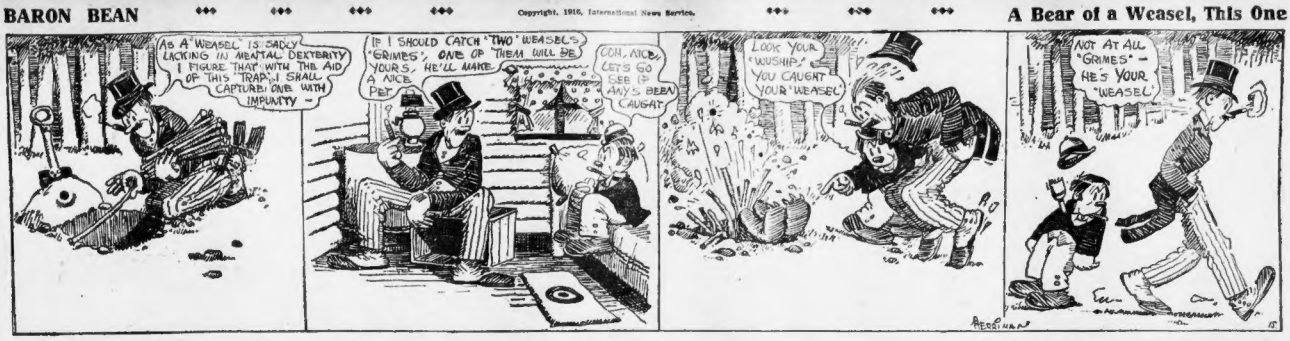
A Bear of a Weasel, This One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COM, ALICE, LETS GO SEE IF AMY'S BEEN CAUGHT
LOOK YOUR WUSHIP! YOU CAUGHT YOUR WEASEL!
NOT AT ALL "GRIMES" — HE'S YOUR "WEASEL"
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It's Certainly Great to Be Popular

'EH, YEH, BENNEH, TELL ME WHO KNOWS YOU— I'M ESKING YOU!
WHY LISTEN, ABE, YOU SHRIMP — TO EVERY MAN THAT LIKES YOU, THERE'S A THOUSAND THAT LIKE ME! WHY, I'M POPULAR — PEOPLE PRAISE ME ALL OVER!
OY, HOW I HATE BENNEH SPARKBAUM! ALWAYS IN FRONT OF THE MEMBERS HE LIKES TO LOWER ME DOWN — I'LL GIVE HIM A KETCH YET!
BENNY IS A GOOD HARD WORKER AND WILL BE SUCCESSFUL IN BUSINESS!
HELLO, SHRIMP!
YOU GOT RIGHT, BENNEH — YOURE A POPULAR FELLER! YESTERDAY, I'M WALKING DOWN THE STREET AND TWO FELLERS ARE TALKING TOGETHER — OY, DID I HEAR PRAISING FOR YOU!
WHO WERE THE MEN, DO YOU KNOW?
I DONT KNOW WHO THE MAN WAS THAT YOUR FATHER WAS TALKING TO
GERSHFIELD

JERRY ON THE JOB

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Some Guys Are Altogether Too Wise

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POLLY AND HER PALS

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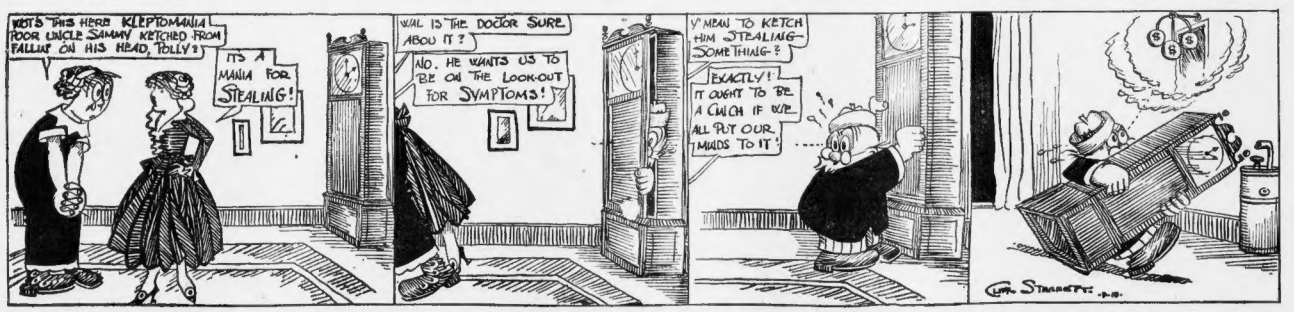
This Is Much Worse Than a Symptom


WOT'S THIS HERE KLEPTOMANIA POOR UNCLE SAMMY KETCHED FROM FALLIN' ON HIS HEAD, POLLY?
IT'S A MANIA FOR STEALING!
WAL IS THE DOCTOR SURE ABOU IT?
NO. HE WANTS US TO BE ON THE LOOK-OUT FOR SYMPTOMS!
Y'MEAN TO KETCH HIM STEALING — SOMETHING?
EXACTLY! IT OUGHT TO BE A CINCH IF WE ALL PUT OUR MINDS TO IT!
LYN STARRETT

US BOYS

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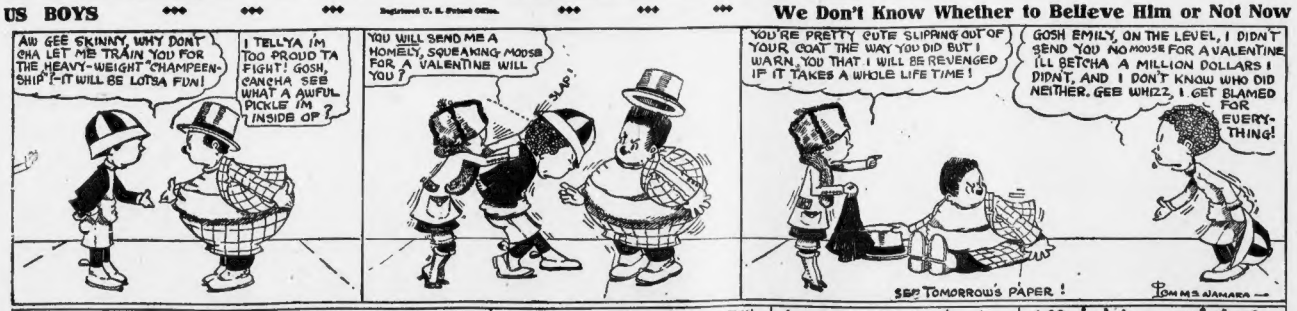
We Don't Know Whether to Believe Him or Not Now


AW GEE SKINNY, WHY DONT CHA LET ME TRAIN YOU FOR THE HEAVY-WEIGHT "CHAMPEEN-SHIP"! — IT WILL BE LOTSA FUN!
I TELLYA IM TOO PROUD TA FIGHT! GOSH, CANCHA SEE WHAT A AWFUL PICKLE IM INSIDE OF?
YOU WILL SEND ME A HOMELY, SQUEAKING MOUSE FOR A VALENTINE WILL YOU?
SNAP!
YOU'RE PRETTY CUTE SLIPPING OUT OF YOUR COAT THE WAY YOU DID BUT I WARN YOU THAT I WILL BE REVENGED IF IT TAKES A WHOLE LIFE TIME!
GOSH EMILY, ON THE LEVEL, I DIDN'T SEND YOU NO MOUSE FOR A VALENTINE I'LL BETCHA A MILLION DOLLARS I DIDN'T, AND I DON'T KNOW WHO DID NEITHER. GEE WHIZZ, I GET BLAMED FOR EVERY-THING!
SEE TOMORROW'S PAPER!
TOM MCNAMARA

GOAT GRABBERS—

FROM HANK THE DRUG CLERK.

MISS DE MEANOR WHO ASKS FOR A TWO CENT STAMP AND THEN SLIPS YOU A TWO DOLLAR BILL. GRRRRRR!

Answer to Yesterday's

WHAT IS THE SMALLEST SOUND MADE BY THE SEA? A CREEK!

CREEK, CREEK,— SEE?— JUST LIKE THAT!

All Joking aside!

FROM BILL HERMAN, LYBROOK, L. I.

WHY ARE OUR LAWS LIKE THE OCEAN?

ANSWER TO-MORROW...

Krazy Kat

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DEAR MR. KABIBBLE,

I TOLD MY FIANCE TO LEAVE ME FOREVER AND HE IS NOW IN CALIFORNIA — SHOULD I ASK HIM TO COME BACK TO ME?

YES, BUT I THINK IT'S YOUR DUTY TO PAY HIS FARE!

Nation Is Fired With the New Spirit of Internationalism—United States Evolving Financial Machinery for Handling World-Wide Business

5 PER CENT. TAX ON MUNITIONS EXPECTED

By International News Service.

Washington, Feb. 15.—A compromise whereby a tax of 5 per cent. will be imposed on the manufacture of munitions, thus settling one of the most vexatious problems of raising money for national defense, is expected to be reached through conferences between Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo and Representative Flood of Virginia and other congressional leaders who favor a munitions tax.

Flood, leader of the forces which believed that if huge sums are to be spent in preparation for war, the men "who make money out of it" should bear a portion of the burden, said today that the administration is willing to accept a munitions tax.

Secretary McAdoo was in the President's advisor in revenue matters believed that the tax should be 5 per cent. This figure probably will prevail and he and Flood have discussed this question at length.

The question of a fixed figure is to be taken up by the House Ways and Means Committee, which will frame the new tax.

Council Raps Curley in Holding Up Mayor's List of Constables

Councillor Thomas J. Kenny hurled the first real note the Curley camp at a special meeting of the board this afternoon when he charged that the Council is holding up nominations for constables made by the absent Mayor and is not going ahead with its organization work.

Councillor Kenny's stand showed that old times and customs are to be segregated and that the so-called "common" Council is to sift municipal affairs through a fine screen and with deliberation.

It looks as if Mayor Curley had a plenty of opposition ahead and that his steamrollering days are over. Leaders in the Council for 1916 is concerned. Councillor Kenny unveiled the reform watchlight at the second meeting and timbered it up for future use.

Councillor Kenny charged the constable nominees and the first swing of the pen gave a clue of what is to come.

TURLEY HAS GIVEN JOLT.

Mayor Curley's appointees supposed the constable nominees would be confirmed in the hurried, matter-of-fact manner in which the quiet pompous that jolted the pols the Mayor from south Boston clapped on the reform brakes.

The Mayor had planned to make a wholesale cut of John Sullivan, known as "Leg" Sullivan, as a reward for services rendered to the Democratic City Committee of 1915 which, under the leadership of "Diamond Joe" Timilty, fought the Good Government ticket, both and lost. And "Leg" was to get $1,200 and serve without bonds.

In fact, "Leg" Sullivan supposed he was as good as hired. He had visions of the city swearing, and when the City Record had announced his appointment as a certainty.

But Councillor Kenny loomed as a cloud on the horizon, and, backed to a man by his fellow councillors, Mr. Kenny called a halt. Not that Mr. Sullivan may not get the job yet, but he must first prove his fitness and worth and in open meeting at the next session of the City Council on February 28.

TO QUIZ CANDIDATES.

So will Patrick F. Powers, Walter J. Hope and James J. Twohig, the other members of the quartet whose appointments were held up.

"In years past," said Councillor Kenny, "it has been customary to confirm nominations without knowing anything about the candidates. This should stop.

"I therefore ask that the appointments of Mr. Sullivan and the others be deferred and that they be ordered to appear before the Council at the next meeting so that we may see them and ask questions and judge for ourselves. The office of constable is important. It invests a man with a power that might be abused to the detriment of the community."

The motion was carried unanimously. And if such be the attitude in relation to the selection of constables, it was not difficult to guess what would happen in the event of an important order.

It is also noted that the new city Council intends to make Mayor Curley, and all others, toe the mark squarely where the affairs of the city and the inhabitants of the city are concerned.

PLAN NEW DEER ISLAND PROBE.

An order for the widening of Hyde Park avenues and for an estimate of the cost of constructing a new police building on Broadway, formerly police station, into an all-year bathhouse were offered.

The Council confirmed the appointment of Raymond J. Kennedy, Michael J. Murphy and George P. Beckley as weighers of coal, and Karl B. Burns and Henry A. Claflin as leather measurers. Appointment of Benjamin Barry as weigher of goods for the Maverick Mills was referred to the executive committee.

The executive session of the Prison Committee decided to make a sweeping investigation of conditions at Deer Island. This committee is made up of George W. Coleman, chairman; Walter L. Collins, Thomas A. Kenny, James J. Storrow and Walter Ballantyne.

It developed at this session that Penal Commissioner David R. Shaw was among the galaxy of city officials who have become disciples of the nonwinter vacation fad. It surprised some of the members of the Prison Committee to learn that Commissioner Shaw is at Savannah for a fortnight or more.

WILL AWAIT SHAW'S RETURN.

"I suppose he is relaxing after that Schatton hearing," said Councillor Kenny and all laughed.

Chairman Coleman—"We shall have to go to the island two or three times after Shaw."

President Henry E. Hagan—"If you follow the old custom and go down on a specified day, as advertised beforehand, we will find everything down to the smallest order. It is better to go unannounced."

Councillor Collins—"The custom of the past was to advance half the purse; a courtesy to the members of the Prison Committee, but it should be remembered that we have the right to go any time."

Chairman Coleman and Councillor Ballantyne agreed that the committee ought not to visit Deer Island until Commissioner Shaw's return, which the others consented to. It was then decided to make the first visit March 1.

Boot and Shoe Buyers Who Are Now in Boston

Baltimore—Wm. McDonough of Cohn, Goldwater & Co., Adams.

Charlestown, W. Va.—H. E. Payne of Payne Shoe Company, Tour.

Binghamton—Fay Koch, U. S.

Cincinnati—Vic Urbansky of Mammoth Shoe Company, Essex.

Columbus, Miss.—L. and M. L. Rosenweig of Rosenweig Bros. & Co., U. S.

Greenville, Miss.—H. Cohn, Eaton, & H. Mandel, Essex.

Havana—M. Iglesias of Morales & Co., Essex.

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Arkansas, Copenhagen via New York.
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Norfolk, Norfolk.
Bay State, Liverpool.
Halifax, Halifax, N. S.
Indian, Philadelphia.
Sangaland, Preston, Cuba.

DUE TODAY.

Palatine, Piraeus, Greece.
Hocking, Genoa.
Rome, Liverpool.
New Brunswick, Louisburg.
Devonian, Liverpool.
Saganaw, Mobile.
Mexicano, Christiania.
Alice, Cuba.

DUE TUESDAY.

Cambrian, London.
Santiago, Progreso.
Clan Chisholm, Calcutta via Cape Town.

DUE WEDNESDAY.

Tuis, Copenhagen, via Shields.
Kristianiafjord, Christiania.
Calcutta, Calcutta and Colombo.
Baltic, Gothenburg via Christiania.

DUE FRIDAY.

Franklin, Glasgow.
Norway, Calcutta.
Bosnia, Hull, England.

DUE MONDAY.

Canopic, Naples via Gibraltar.
Saxon Head, Buenos Ayres.
Corinthian, Liverpool.
San Jose, Port Limon and Havana.

DUE TUESDAY.

Noordendijk, Rotterdam.

AMERICA CUTS PROVINCIAL SHACKLES

By B. C. FORBES.

New York, Feb. 15.—America is throwing off its provincial shackles.

The nation is fired with the new spirit of internationalism.

Real efforts are being made to evolve financial machinery capable of handling world-wide business.

Our financial progress, amendment to the Federal Reserve Board, embodies sensible recommendations looking to this, and in its second annual report just published.

The AMERICAN has consistently urged the extension of the acceptance privilege to cover domestic commercial paper, for by this means a genuine rediscount market will be created.

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By confining acceptances to foreign trade activities, little progress can be made in building up a discount market rivalling London.

And until we have a discount and money market as broad, active and elastic as that of London, progress will not become universally popular.

The banking progress amendment to the currency law covering this point doubtless will be passed by Congress despite the existence of opposition by certain narrow-visioned political circles.

Another change is urged with a view to developing our new international banking, namely, permitting national banks "to subscribe for and purchase stock in banks organized for the special purpose of doing a bank business in foreign countries."

This is much more sensible than the proposal of certain politicians that Federal reserve banks be established in foreign lands in competition with other American banking institutions.

An encouraging and encouraging step has been made in opening foreign branches of American banks, and even though no changes were made in the law, the movement would be pushed vigorously.

By allowing a number of banks to combine in organizing a foreign bank, the government will be adopting a new attitude toward combination, but even this new departure from the old principle logically would be extended to corporations engaged in other forms of business.

Co-operation and combination are essential to world-wide enterprise, as even the rabid corporation-hunters are beginning to find out.

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Here is another important proposed amendment:

Permission should be granted to national banks to establish branch offices in other parts of the city in the county in which they are located.

America is the only great business nation which forbids banks to open branches.

The Federal Reserve Board's recommendation does not go very far; it sanctions branches only "within the city or county in which the parent bank is situated."

In Europe, our chief banks can and do have branches dotted all over the land. No handlet is too small for a bank branch, even though staffed by only an agent and one clerk.

Geographical jealousies stand in the way of allowing American national banks to open branches wherever desired.

It will be one step in the right direction, however, to permit branches in local branches, although why "state" should be substituted for "city or county" is not easily understood.

The new rule would tend to bring into the New York money market such institutions as these can have as many branches in the state as they care to establish.

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The report, as a whole, is a testimonial to the industry, zeal and broad-mindedness of the Reserve Board members.

Had this country been still without a currency system, the financial history of the last eighteen months might have been less free from black pages.

TO SPEND $100,000 ON BOSTON HARBOR

Washington, Feb. 15.—Details of the annual River and Harbor Appropriation Bill, as completed in committee, except for the administration project to deepen East River Channel in New York, have become known.

The measure, aggregating $40,000,000, was to be brought up at a committee meeting today for report to the House. The bill provides for the following projects in New England: Boston Harbor, $100,000; Pollock Rip Channel, $150,000; Buzzards Bay, to provide additional anchorage area and improve the approaches to the Cape Cod Canal, "insofar as it may be the duty of the United States to improve the same."

ADDRESS SUFFRAGE MEETING TONIGHT

Mrs. Mary S. Woolman, chairman of the education committee of the Massachusetts Federation of Women's Clubs; Dr. Evangeline Young and Mrs. Marion Booth Kelley are to be the speakers in the Course in Citizenship this evening at the Boston Equal Suffrage Association headquarters, No. 167 Tremont street. Mrs. Woolman is to speak on the Smith Hughes bill, the object of which is to secure federal aid for industrial conditions. The bill has been reported favorably by both houses of Congress.

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TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

By W. H. ROSS, Financial Editor

the opening and within a few minutes the tendency to decline became more pronounced. Fluctuations were narrow in all classes and the market seemed governed by hesitancy. Turnover was rather quiet at the start. Coppers were steady, but in less demand. Railroads mixed. On initial transactions a number of war order issues advanced a little. American Zinc opened a little lower and Butte & Superior a little higher. Outsiders took no hand in the trading and room traders were inclined to shake profits. Marine preferred early displayed steadier tendency during the first half-hour, soon showing a loss of 1%. There appeared to be a vague element of the international situation.

MARKET WAS NARROW.

The New York market was unusually narrow in all respects. New York Air Brake was a strong exception, being favored in the management intends to place its stock upon a 10 per cent. basis soon. It is believed by some of its partisans that "the company can pay off on bonds and issue new stock at $20 to $50 per share left for its stock."

Gains of 1@1½ included American Can ¼, U. S. Steel ¼, Car and Foundry ¼, American Locos. ¾, Mexican Petroleum ¼, Beth. Steel ¼, Westinghouse ¼, Butte & Superior ¼, S. Y. Air Brake 1¾, and St. Paul 1.

Among declines were Anaconda ¾, Chino ¾, Utah Copper ¾, Inspiration ¾, Baltimore & Ohio ¾, Chesapeake & Ohio ½, Pennsylvania ¾, Reading ¾, Pacific ¾, Erie ¾, Baldwin ¼, Crucible Steel ¾, Great Northern Ore ¾, Northern Zinc ¾, Marine preferred certificates 1¾, American Tobacco 2¾ and American Sugar ¾.

Coppers weakened as a class soon after the opening.

There evidently was a halt in the accumulation of coppers.

MOST EARLY INTEREST.

Most early interest was relatively stronger at the opening than the one in New York. Boston & Maine opened a fraction higher and continued to advance. Most of the local coppers were strong, but their gains averaged small. Zines were higher. Business was fair.

Early gains included Alloues ¾, Calumet & Arizona ¼, Copper Range ¼, Arizona Commercial ¼, Lake ¼, American Zinc ¾, Butte & Superior ¾, Boston & Maine 1 and United Fruit ½.

Among declines were Alaska Gold and North Butte ¼.

STEEL MERGER RUMOR.

It is rumored in Philadelphia that the Bethlehem Steel Corporation is about to acquire control of the Pennsylvania Steel Co., and although no confirmation was obtained the report caused considerable speculation.

Statements that negotiations have begun are insistent in steel circles.

"This report is based on the statisticians at the congenial task of trying to figure out on how many profits for 1915 amount to and what they will total in 1916, it being conceded that this concern will lead all in war profits.

To New York it is figured, after deducting for losses, interest and preferred dividends, 1915 earnings will equal nearly $40 per share on the 2,000,000 shares of common stock. It is claimed also that 1916 earnings will show a surplus available for dividends on common of about $400 a share.

ANACONDA EARNINGS.

It was said last week that something would be said soon by a recognized authority which would globalize the ears of holders of copper shares. The authority referred to the statement published yesterday of President John D. Ryan regarding Anaconda plant improvements and operations last year. Among other things he said:

"During the first half of 1915 the earnings of the company were enough before reserves, to curtail element of output and low price for metal, but during the last half a sharp recovery in demand and in price enabled the company to earn sufficient to make the year a very profitable one. Exact earnings are not yet available, but a close estimate indicates net earnings, after deducting all charges, of more than $16,000,000 for the year."

"NO SEAT, NO FARE."

A legislator has introduced at Albany a bill providing that a passenger does not have to pay fare if he has not been provided with a seat. The idea is to be given effect originally in New York and other States. Once it elicited from a New York city traction magnate a statement: "It is legislators who pay the dividends." Legislators will lay heavily against any such measure being passed by the New York Legislature. Should they have won the great majority of their Albany battles. Generations to the New Yorkers have been educated to ride upon their feet.

FINANCIAL NEWS IN BRIEF.

January consumption of lint cotton in this country increased 74,193 bales compared with the same 1915 month. The increase from August 1 to the end of January last was 94,774 bales.

The new well of the Mexican Petroleum Co. is flowing at the rate of 100,000 barrels a day. Tankage capacity for 6,000,000 barrels was prepared before the well was allowed to gush. It will provide fuel for a good many automobiles.

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The cash excess of Boston banks decreased $216,000 to a total of $2,285,600 last week.

Fires in this country and Canada last month caused losses totalling $24,125,350, and for the whole of 1914 they amounted to $182,836,200.

It is now estimated that General Motors earnings for the fiscal year ending with June next will be $28,000,000, which would afford a surplus of about $16,000,000 for common stock dividends.

BOSTON STOCKS.

Following are the early prices for leading Boston stocks:

	Yesterday's close.	High.	Low.	10:10
Alaska	23¾	23½	22½	22½
Alaska Gold	22¾	23¼	22¾	23
Am. Zinc	56¾	56¾	56¼	56¼
Ariz. Com.	9¾	9¾	9¼	9¼
Bonanza M.	4½	4½	4½	4½
Butte & Sup.	88¾	89	88¾	89
Calumet & A.	74¼	74¼	73¾	74
Cop. Range	65	65½	65¼	65½
Franklin	10½	10½	10½	10½
Granby	70	70	69½	70
Isle	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾
Mass. Gas	50¾	50¾	50¾	50¾
Old Dom.	20¾	20¾	20¾	20¾
Sup. & Bos.	4	4	4	4
Utah	14¾	14¾	14¼	14¼
Va. Pr. Co.	78	78	78	78
Utah Cons.	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾
Winona	1¾	1¾	1¾	1¾

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Following are the early prices for leading New York stocks:

	Yesterday's close.	High.	Low.	10:10
Alaska	23¾	23¾	23¼	23¼
Am. Can	61¾	61¾	61¼	61¾
Am. C. & F.	67¾	67¾	67¼	67¼
Am. Locos.	50¾	50¾	50¼	50¼
Am. Smelting	101¾	101¾	101¼	101¼
Am. Sugar	116¾	116¾	116¼	116¼
Am. Tobacco	195¾	195¾	192	193
Anaconda	39¾	39¾	39¼	39¼
Amgonda	36¾	36¾	36¼	36¼
Anglo-Fr.	94¾	94¾	94¼	94¼
Beth. Steel	94¾	94¾	94¼	94¼
Balt. & Ohio	87¾	87¾	87¾	87¾
Brooklyn R. T.	89¾	89¾	88¾	88¾
Can. Pacific	172	172	172	172
Cent. Leather	55¾	55¾	55¼	55¼
Chesa. & Ohio	56¾	56¾	56¼	56¼
Chi. & St. Paul	90¾	90¾	90¼	90¼
Chino	43¾	43¾	43¼	43¼
Consol. Gas	134¾	134¾	134¼	134¼
Crucible Steel	77¾	77¾	77¼	77¼
Erie	37¾	37¾	37¼	37¼
Erie 1st pf.	57¾	57¾	57¼	57¼
Gt. Nor. pf.	122¾	123¾	122¼	123¼
Int. Nor. Ore	46¾	46¾	46¼	46¼
Inspiration	46¾	47	46¾	46¾
Int. Harv.	110¾	110¾	110¼	110¼
I. M. M. pfd.	71¾	71¾	69¼	69¼
Kan. City So.	23¾	23¾	23¾	23¾
Mex. Petrol.	109¾	109¾	109¼	109¼
Miami	27¾	27¾	27¾	27¾
N. Y. N. H. & H.	59¾	59¾	59¼	59¼
Penn. Ry.	57¾	57¾	57¼	57¼
Ray Cons.	25¾	25¾	25¾	25¾
Rep. I. & S.	53¾	53¾	53¼	53¼
So. Pacific	99¾	99¾	99¼	99¼
So. Railway	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾
Studebaker	152¾	152¾	152¾	152¾
Un. Pacific	114¾	114¾	114	114
U. S. Rubber	62¾	63¾	62¾	63¾
U. S. I. Alc.	152¾	153¾	152¾	152¾
U. S. Steel	85¾	86	85¾	85¾
Wabash pf. A.	44¾	44¾	43¾	43¾
Westinghouse	67	67¾	67¾	67¾

PHILADELPHIA FIRE IN CHEMICAL PLANT

Philadelphia, Feb. 15.—Fire today started in building No. 78 of the Harrison Brothers' chemical works and spread to other parts of the plant. Building No. 78 was destroyed. Two sulphuric acid tanks exploded.

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Two Strong Rural Credits Bills Call for Action

MORRIS SHEPPARD, Senator from Texas, has introduced into the Senate what is the nearest approach to the famous German Landschaft Rural Credits bill that has yet been presented to the country.

Senator Sheppard represents the largest State, and by all odds the greatest agricultural State, in the Union.

It would scarcely be supposed that a Senator of the United States, representing the largest constituency of farmers in the republic, would be thoughtless or hasty in the preparation of so vital a measure. Nor has he been careless or hasty.

The Senator from Texas has had the benefit of all the bills which have been presented from every section up to the present time. He has worked faithfully and studied diligently, having before him the research heretofore bestowed on the subject by the American Commission assembled by the Southern Commercial Congress and the United States Commission appointed by President Wilson, of which two commissions Senator Fletcher of Florida is the chairman, and all the documents and literature heretofore printed and all the discussions had in and out of Congress, including the voice of farmers throughout the country, besides expert opinions on various phases of the question.

Of Senator Sheppard's bill it may be said that it is founded on the greatest and most successful model of farm credits known to the world of agriculture.

From that foundation the Senator from Texas has departed just as little as it was necessary to adapt the bill to the conditions in our country which are different from those in the old world.

The Hearst newspapers believe that this bill deserves the most serious, respectful and immediate consideration from the Senate and from the House of Representatives of the United States. It should be studied and considered without prejudice and without jealousy—**AND WITHOUT DELAY**—because a bill founded on such a model, so well approved in the good judgment of mankind, ought to carry the largest possible benefit to the agriculture of this country—**SO VITALLY IN NEED AT THE PRESENT TIME**—and **SO VITALLY A PART OF THE LIFE AND SAFETY OF THIS REPUBLIC IN PEACE OR WAR.**

There are various interests and various shades of opinions touching the rural credits question in Congress and out of it.

The farming classes of the country have always suspected, and are always likely to look with suspicion upon, rural credits bills made by the bankers.

The bankers, on the other hand, are likely to view with distrust what they have heretofore deemed radical or paternal in the measures presented by the farmers.

The Landschaft is framed by neither farmers nor bankers, but by statesmen and thinkers.

But there is no question that in this matter the farmers are more vitally concerned than the bankers, and that the great country is much more vitally concerned that the farmers should be satisfied and prosperous than that the bankers, already prosperous and satisfied, should be given any especial advantage in this most vital of our economic propositions.

For this reason it would seem that the Sheppard Landschaft Rural Credits bill should be viewed with great respect and prompt consideration by those who are legislating for the vital interests of the country.

There are a large number of farmers, particularly in the South, whose opposition to the German Landschaft bill is founded upon a prejudice expressed in words. The unthinking or the uninformed among this class have conceived the idea that their lands are under a mortgage under the Landschaft system, and that somebody else has a lien upon their property. The words "mortgage" and "lien" have long been bugbears and nightmares to the farmers of the South, and of the West as well.

But in this connection there never was so small a risk offered by any other plan as that which the Landschaft bill presents. **NO LOAN IS MADE TO ANY BORROWER EXCEPT UPON PROPERTY WHOSE DEFINITELY ASCERTAINED VALUE IS TWICE AS GREAT AS THE LOAN ITSELF, SO THAT THE RISK IS LESS THAN ANY RISK THE FARMER HAS EVER TAKEN SINCE HE HAS BEEN IN THE MARKET AS A SEEKER AFTER MONEY ON LONG OR SHORT TERM LOANS!**

The length of the loan under the Landschaft system as presented by Senator Sheppard ranges from ten to twenty-five and thirty-five and seventy-five years, and the interest does not go above 4 per cent.

Surely this provision touches every chord of all the things that the farmers have sought for and fought for for so many years, and ought to satisfy those to whose great interests it is dedicated. The number of these Landschaft mortgages which have been forfeited is so infinitesimally small as not worthy to be mentioned, and there seems to be, under a sound and honest enforcement of its provisions, an almost intangible amount of peril to the interests of the farmer.

Side by side with the Sheppard bill is the commission bill presented to the Senate by Senator Fletcher and recording the sentiment of the two great commissions which have studied the rural credits matter in the old world under United States sanction and authority.

In another editorial we shall present the differences between these two bills and the strong points of resemblance and coincidence which they carry. The Hearst newspapers are fully persuaded that one or the other of these rural credits bills should be passed as promptly as possible by the Senate and afterwards as promptly as possible by the House of Representatives.

There could be no danger of mistake in passing either of them, because they are both founded more or less upon the great central model of the German Landschaft.

And the object of this editorial is for a third time to urge earnestly upon the men who are thoughtful and patriotic in the American Congress, both Senate and House, not to delay a day longer than is absolutely necessary in the passage of one or the other of these bills.

The necessity is great; the opportunity is present; the duty is absolutely clear.

YOU HAVE TO MAKE A QUICK SHIFT SOMETIMES

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MY LANDLADY IS GOING TO PUT ME OUT TO-MORROW IF I DONT PAY MY BOARD BILL IT LOOKS LIKE A PARK BENCH FOR MINE!
I'VE GOT TO GET SOME DOUGH. I'LL PROPOSE TO THAT RICH WIDOW BROWN. DESPERATE DISEASES REQUIRE DESPERATE REMEDIES!
MRS. BROWN IF YOU'LL MARRY ME I'LL SHOW YOU HOW TO DOUBLE YOUR INCOME BY GOOD INVESTMENTS. I CAN GET YOU SIXTEEN PER CENT AND—
NO! YOURE TOO BUSINESS-LIKE!
FAREWELL! I DREAMED OF A HONEYMOON IN VENICE WITH YOU, WHERE, FLOATING IN A GONDOLA BY MOONLIGHT WE WOULD LISTEN TO THE SILVERY NOTES OF THE BULBUL, AND—
OH, MR. UMPS,—OSWALD, DONT GO! WE WILL BE MARRIED! YOU ARE SO ROMANTIC!
PALM BEACH
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Inklings and Thinklings

By Wex Jones

Famous alibis (Gary dinner): "We discussed prairie chicken and Scotch grouse."

Cheese Classed as Munitions of War.—Headline. About time.

Unhistoric affinities: W. J. Bryan and a cocked hat.

British soldiers in the trenches don't have to pay alimony during the war. No wonder there's not much British sentiment for peace.

Sure cures for grip are—
Don't do a thing; let nature take its course.
Stay in bed until cured.
Whatever you do, don't stay in bed.
Plenty of quinine.
Above all, avoid the use of quinine.
Hot baths.
Don't weaken yourself with hot baths.

Magistrate decides that a man is entitled to $100 fee for finding a wife for a bachelor. It seems reasonable enough, in view of the fact that the lawyer will want a bigger fee for getting a divorce.

Professor Taft says he keeps thin by living on a hill and walking home every evening. Why not live in a hollow and walk to work every morning?

Life's mysteries: Pacifists.

The Beggar

By William F. Kirk

He comes and stands beside my chair,
And with an offhand, careless air
He tells about a pair of skates
He saw down town. "They're Number Eights.
That's just my size.
They're nickel plated awful swell;
Some kid might grab 'em—you can't tell.
Uncle, I'd like 'em awful well
For a surprise."

Of course, his clever plan goes through.
What else can his fat uncle do?
To make a child's young heart unfold
Is quite the dearest power of gold,
And well we know
That all Life's happiest, sweetest ways
Are walked in childhood's flowery maze.
Thus may we borrow from the days
Of long ago.

The Deadly Bichloride

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The World's Best Known Writer on Medical Subjects.

PART ONE.

A CERTAIN amount of risk is inseparable from even the most prudent conduct of life. The great Game involves the taking of fairly frequent chances, which we can meet in a cheerful, sportsmanlike spirit; indeed, take a sort of hardy joy and exhilaration in living dangerously. But there is one class of risks in which there is neither exhilaration nor profit nor sense in running, and that is the danger of taking poisons by mistake.

Too often the public mind is shocked and pained by the serious endangering of valuable human lives through the innocent looking but deadly bichloride of mercury tablet.

This is a peculiarly dangerous and treacherous poison, because it is colorless, odorless and unless held in the mouth for several seconds before swallowing, practically tasteless, even if dissolved it has only a slightly metallic, puckery taste, scarcely stronger than might be caused by water from an unused metal pipe.

In fact, when made up into its usual tablets for making antiseptic solutions, there is absolutely nothing to distinguish these either by sight, smell, touch or the amount of taste that would be got from them in swallowing them whole or washing them down with a drink of water from tablets of soda or soda mint or digestive tablets containing pepsin or pancreatin, or the ordinary five or ten-grain tablets in which a great many of our drugs such as the salicylates, aspirin, phenacetin, formin, etc., are now commonly administered.

Worse yet, when the fatal mistake has happened, it is slow in warning the victim of his danger, partly because the compact tablet is slow in dissolving and partly on account of its trick of coagulating or clotting albumins and other animal substances.

So that if the stomach happens to contain even a moderate amount of food this will soak up and temporarily neutralize the poison as it dissolves, so that it will be half an hour or more before it actually irritates and attacks the walls of the stomach itself.

This may dilute and weaken the poison and in the smaller tablets make its action on the stomach lining so gradual that serious damage has been done before sufficient pain is caused to make the victim uneasy.

Even supposing that the victim has been alarmed in time and the stomach emptied either by emetic or a stomach pump before a sufficient amount of the poison has been absorbed into the blood to produce immediately fatal results, the danger is not yet over.

The poison may have passed into the blood in such amounts that, to put it very roughly, the system is quite able to resist so long as it is diluted by and spread out through the whole mass of the fluids of the body. But when the poison comes to be excreted from the body, as it is chiefly by the kidneys, then a new danger develops, and that is that it may be straining out of the blood and accumulated in the kidneys in sufficient amounts to become poisonous to their tissues.

Indeed, it is just at this point that the greatest danger from most cases of corrosive sublimate poisoning occurs, and unless sufficiently large amounts have been taken or the emptying of the stomach delayed so long that death occurs from the immediate effects of the poison within eighteen to thirty-six hours, the chief risk which the patient has to run is that of a fatal inflammation—indeed almost literal corrosion—of the kidneys as it is being filtered out of the blood from four to six days after it is swallowed.

To put it very roughly, if a patient who has swallowed bichloride of mercury lives a day, he will probably live a week; if he lives two weeks, he is practically safe.

Women with 'Doctor Habit'

Ella Wheeler Wilcox Says

Are Burden to Families

Thousands Who Need Only Work, Purpose and Cheerfulness Spoil Lives of Themselves and Others by Delusion That They Are Ill and Need Frequent Attention

By Ella Wheeler Wilcox

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IN spite of the fact that ill health is unfashionable today, there are hundreds of women to be found who regard their ailments with fond reverence and who anticipate the coming of the "doctor" as the event of the day or week.

These women have nothing the matter with them but their unoccupied or perverted minds and their craving for distraction.

They are found in all classes and localities, but flourish in comfort and opulence, rather than in poverty, for poverty as a rule enforces labor, and labor leaves no time for imagination or hysteria.

Once let a woman acquire the "doctor habit" and she is as difficult to cure as an opium victim, and as hopeless to reason with.

She resents being told she looks well and time drags heavily when she has no occasion to send a hurry call for the doctor.

Doctor "Sympathetic" When Cold-hearted Family Can See Nothing Wrong

But a slight cold, a little fatigue, overeating, or a late cup of coffee or tea and consequent wakefulness will open the way for this hurry call; and she dons her most becoming negligee gown, sits bolstered up in bed, and, with eager, expectant eyes, watches the door for the entrance of the one human being who is not bored and wearied with her description of her symptoms—the doctor.

How sympathetic he is, and how sweet such sympathy is to her! And he tells her what she knew was true, but what her cold-hearted family would not believe, that she is a very sick woman, and needs a nurse and afterward a change of air and freedom from all care.

Dear, good doctor! How bleak the world would be without him and his kind!

Meantime the husband, who is working twelve hours a day in order to keep his business up to the standard where he can pay employes for working eight, comes home with his head in a whirl, longing for a quiet evening of domestic happiness, and finds the house all excitement. Madame has had "a bad attack," and the doctor and the nurse are both with her.

The husband realizes what this means—weeks of loneliness and expense and discomfort; dining alone, coming home to desolation and gloom—but he knows how useless it is to utter one protest. He will only seem heartless and precipitate another attack of hysteria.

So he puts on his most serious expression of concern and visits the invalid and hears all about the contemplated symptoms, and is duly sympathetic and tells the doctor to spare no pains or expense in his efforts to save madam's life—and the curtain goes down again on the little farce he has been accustomed to participate in year after year at intervals.

This is no overdrawn picture. It is an absolute portrait of hundreds of idle, purposeless, selfish, hysterical women in the world.

Sometimes the spectators' pity for the husband is lessened by the consciousness that he has in a measure been instrumental in bringing about these conditions.

He has allowed business to absorb his whole time and energy, and he has had no leisure to give to his wife. She has pined for distraction, for entertainment, and, not being rich in resources, she has turned to the contemplation of her physical sensations until she has become a monomaniac upon the subject.

To be ill and have the household upset about her condition is her only diversion.

But with the world at woman's feet today, and every possible opportunity for self-improvement within her grasp, what a pity that she should waste one day of this beautiful life in thinking of physical disorders which her own mind has caused and can heal.

Work, Purpose and Cheerfulness Powerful Antidotes to the Doctor Habit

A half hour given each day to systematic deep breathing, and a cutting down of her food supply to a few, simple, nutritious dishes, right exercise and baths, and right thoughts, and nature would bring harmony, without drugs or doctors or nurses. But how useless to preach these truths to the hysterical victims of doctor dissipation.

Then the pleasure of talking about the illness afterward to callers is such a satisfaction!

In country places one finds the same type of woman. She is frequently single and past her first youth, and the doctor's visits are a solace to her lonely hours. While we can sympathize with her situation, yet we must think she would be better off were she to be thrown out upon the world and forced to forget her ailments in an active battle for existence as a "bachelor girl."

Work—a purpose—cheerfulness—a desire to make happiness for others—these are a few of the antidotes to the "doctor habit."

Happiness as an Asset

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HAPPINESS is at once a state of mind, a result and a cause. As a state of mind we think of it most frequently; it represents a proper adjustment of one's self to one's environment.

As a result it stands for the operation of certain forces some conscious, some unconscious.

Happiness is, on the whole, an unconscious by-product.

Knowingly striven for it is elusive, even illusive.

Not striven for, but accepted as a conclusion or process in the day's toil, it comes as naturally and beautifully as the unfolding of the flower from the bud.

But quite as important as a state of mind and as a result is happiness as a cause, a personal cause moving in one's life and character. Happiness in this relation, as a cause, is seldom thought of.

Happiness really is a great force in creating physical health. The pulse beats with more and proper vigor. The breath moves with greater fulness.

The step becomes more elastic. The eye takes to itself a new lustre. The whole man is more responsive under the exhilaration of happiness. Sorrow is depressing and depressive. **All life's tides ebb. "Give me happiness that I may lift myself with it," is a worthy prayer.**

Happiness also operates on the mind, on the whole spiritual part of one's being. Truth is seen with clearer clearness and more substantial worthiness. Details to principles and principles to details are more easily adjusted.

Relations become better proportioned. The reasoning process is more easily and the more accurately carried forward. The mind takes to itself wings. The leaden weights, the hampering fetters, drop.

With this quickening of the intellectual parts, happiness also impresses the whole moral nature. Courage takes the place of cowardice, vigor of indifference, vision of nearsightedness, breadth of narrowness. Initiative becomes natural and the conquering attitude normal.

Without arrogance or presumptuousness one feels his strength mightier, his aspirations mounting higher, his whole being assuming its proper place as a force cowering with forces universal and eternal.